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The S. S. Convention at Zion's Hill the large audiences both afternoon at the property of the large audiences both afternoon at the property of the large audiences both afternoon at the property of the large audiences of

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MONEY SAVERS

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SAVINGS ACCOUNT

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Harold

tha special meeting of the ratepayers the section on Monday Mr. C. B. Guire was elected the seen in place of Vance, who have the seen in place of the seen of the success candidates. On her return trip she at a few days at Dr. Sargent's, Colner.

ta lew days as
ss Beatrice Martin spent last week
her grandparents at Bellview,
has Archer and grandchild of Marta were visitors at Mr. John Bailey's
lowly,
Miss

daughter Mael: returned from the West on the 24th. We are glad to have them with us again.

Mr. Andrews spent a few days in Toronto and Brechin recently.

Mr. St. John, who has had charge of the night offices here relieved Mr. Andrew's while he was on the sick list. Mr. St. John is now relieving the agent at Keene. The night office closed last week, and Mr. Graham, the night operator, returned to Peterboro.

Mr. Merifield who had charge of the night office here last spring is relieving the agent at Brechin, who is taking holidays.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Ocok and all our sick people are improving.

Mr. Burke gave a splendid discourse here last Sunday afternoon.

Quite a number from the wester wisting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Redling ice is the order of the day.

Mr. Archie Hatfield attended the distinct Orange meeting at Madoc on Tuesday last.

We are pleased to say that Mr. Wm. Robinson, who was seriously injured in a runaway in Stirling, is improving slightly.

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Mrs. Benson Searles, who has been confined to the house for some time with blood poisoning, is improving.

Mollen.
Revival services are being conducted for two weeks at Halloway church.
There is much sickness in the neighborhood and several cases of measles.
The S. S. Convention at Zion's Hill on Friday last was much appreciated by the large audiences both afternoon and evening. Mr. H. Pringle gave an excellent address on "What constitutes a successful S. S. teacher."

Minto
A few of our young people spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. Chas, Mumby on, Jan. 25th.
Mr. Chas, Mumby on, Jan. 25th.
Mr. and Miss Turvey, Miss Ethel Striker and Mr. Kirk spent Sunday at Mr. Richard Clements.
The members of our Literary Society are looking forward to a very instructive address from Mr. Howson, manager of the Bank of Montreal, Stirling, next Tuesday evening.
Mrs. E. Fair and daughter Bertha of Stirling, visited at Mr. P. W. Hagerman's last Saturday and Sunday.
La grippe has been taking its rounds.
We are pleased that Mr. B. C. Tucker when the stirling is rounded to the stirling in the street of the stirling in the street of the s

We are pleased that Mr. B. C. Tucker with her grandparents at Bellview. Mrs Archer and grandchild of Marmora were visitors at Mr. John Balley's last week.

Miss Popplewell has left us, and Mr. Young of Stirling is now our teacher. Mrs. Bloyd and family and Mrs. T. Cook spent Sunday at Mr. Cook's at Ivanhoe.

Mrs. McDonald is in Stirling with her daughter, Mrs. Neal, who is ill.

Mrs. Cranston and Mrs. Geo. Bailey attended the foneral of the late J. R. Maynes of Tweed.

Mr. John Tanner has returned homafter spending a few weeks in Syracuse and other U. S. towns.

Miss Gordanier of Belleville is the guest of Mrs. Beral Clancy was the guest of Miss Flossie Heath last week.

From another Correspondent.

The Seymour Power Co. have a great many men working in this vicinity, but it will be some time before the line will be working, owing to the delay in getting supplies.

Mr. T. B. Stapley of Edmonton visited at Elm-Hurst on Sunday.

Mr. Saladel Anderson of Belleville and vicinity of the past month, has returned home, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mc. Clarke spent Sunday in Stirling.

Mrs. John Hay is visiting in Seymour and other places.

Mr. and Mr. P. Carr of Lindsay are renewing acquaintances here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eggleton and adaughter Mrs. Beach to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eggleton and daughter Mrs. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eggleton and daughter Mrs. Hollow and Mrs. Grand Mrs. Albert Eggleton and daughter Weaver.

Mr. End Mrs. Albert Egg

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CHAPTER II .- (Continued.)

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to child uttored a cry of joy.

came toward them, and extend
the health of the poor boy.

To is very well," replied Max
"I went to his grandmother's

him, and am taking him to

by way of diversion. See

a good bey I am become. May

t where you are going?"

t is a secret," replied Alice,

I will take you into my con
ce. I am going to sit for my

ait. It is to be a surprise for

ther."

"Ah! yes, Nadeje,"
"Nadeje! You mean the Countess
Yalta?"

Nadeje. Ask her."

Here was another cause of astonishment. Maxime did not know the first name of the countess, and he little expected to hear it spoken by a gamin of Rue Cardinet.

"Ah!" said the boy, "here we are at the street where I have made such nice parties. See the sidewalk before this grand house; it might have been made to play marbles on. I played there two hours the day I broke my paw."

"Ah! really, you recognize the place?"

"Ah really, you recognize the place?"

"Oh, perfectly, it seems as if it was only yesterday. I didn't go to the office in the morning, and I said to myself: "Just as well not to go at all to-day; they will think I have been alling."

"But you didn't stay there all day?"

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"Its it good?"
"Very good, excellency. He is scarcely altered. The man is sustained by an iron will."
"Say rather that he is headstrong; that, having reflected upon the situation, he has determined upon silence at whatever cost. Of two evils that threatened he has chosen the lesser."
"It seems to me that if you dispatched him to Siberia his fate would be no enviable one. I hardwold be no enviable one one in the seems to me that if you dispatched him to Siberia his fate would be no enviable one. I hardwold be no enviable one. I hardwold be no enviable one one of the seems to me that if you dispatched him to Siberia his fate would be no enviable one. I hardwold be no enviable one one of the seems to me that if you dispatched him to Siberia his fate would be fall him."
"Yacalii, you have no commonsense."

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KOREAN DUELS.

From These Encounters.

Fighting is probably nowhere a wholly lost art, although in some cache train is so modified that it is nearly a harmless amusement. One recalls the "wax bullets" of the French duels. Another illustration is given in a book called "Things Korean," by Dr. H. N. Allen. It seems that in that country, unless the battle be between a gentleman and his wife, the prime requisite for a fight is the presence of peacemakers.

Two men may begin a wordy battle, separated it may be by the width of the road, across which space they proceed to describe their grievinces. They are polite, and the man who, has the floor his breath fall.





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DEATH AND

Despatches From London and Paris Tell of Fearful Havoc of Gale and Wind.

provision for the thou-o have been rendered ab-stitute by the flood pre-serious economic problem, ist now the authorities are d wholly with the present.

VEIRD SPECTACLE.

BLOWING UP THE STREETS.

Geo. Tees, Bereaved by C. P. R. Disaster, Loses Wife.

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A despatch from North Bay says:
On Friday morning a casket left
North Bay for Bruce Mines, accompanied by George A. Tees, of
Cochrane. The casket contained
the body of his wife, who died in
North Bay hospital on Thursday,
and as the train passed over the
Spanish River bridge his mind was
t tortured by memory of the calamity which happened at the same
shour of the same day, one west
y ago, when his little daughter, Clara
y and his father-in-law went down to
death with other victims of the
tweek. Unable to attend the funeral of his only daughter or fatherin-law, he sat by the bedside of his
id ving wife till the end. Mrs. Tees
was only twenty-five years of age
and was operated upon only a few
has before the accident to which

MANY MORE WARSHIPS. Great Britain's Naval Estimates

Provide Large Additions.

A despatch from Portsmouth
says: In well-informed naval circles
this understood that the next Brit-

NAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

Telegrapale Briefs From Our Own

GENERAL.

The new Imperial Legislative Council of India met for the first time on Tuesday.

The Newtoundland Government will draw a substantial revenue from the island's hematite mines.

REACHING TO THE COAST.

Track-Laying on the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Pacific.

A despatch from Montreal says:
At the G. T. P. offices figures have been given showing that 923 miles of steel are now down on the main line west of Winnipeg. This is more than half way from Winnipeg to the coast. Taking off a hundred miles on the west end, where steel is being laid now, and adding it to the finished line, would make 1,023 miles of track down, out of 1,750 miles west of Winnipeg, leaving only a little over 700 miles of road to be completed to open the way to Prince Rupert.

COMET "A" OF 1910.

Must Not be Confused With Halley's Comet.

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—Oats—No. 2
Canadian Western, 45 to 46½; No. 2, 44 to 44½; Ontario No. 2, white
43c; Ontario No. 3 white, 49c; Ontario No. 4. white, 41c. Barley
No. 2, 68 to 69c; Manitoba feed
barley, 53 to 55c Flour—Manitoby Spring wheat patents, ursts,
\$5.80; do., seconds, \$5.30; Winter
wheat patents, \$5.50 to \$5.00; Manitoba strong—bakers, \$5.10;
straight rollers, \$5.10 to \$5.00; Manitoba strong—bakers, \$5.10;
straight rollers, \$5.10 to \$5.20;
straight rollers, \$5.10 to \$5.20;
\$2.50. Feed—Ontario bran, \$22; Manitoba shorts, \$23; pure grain mouille, \$31 to \$33; mixed mouille,
\$27 to \$29. Cheese — Westerns,
11½ to 12c, and casterns, 11½ to
11½(c. Butter—Choicest creamery,
25½ to 26c, and frosh roceipts, 24
to 25c. Eggs—Selected new laid,
35 to 40c; selected No. 1 stock, 30
tunited States.

UNITED STATES MARKETS

St. Louis, Feb. 1.—Wheat, May, S1.1%; January, \$1.00½. Duluth, Feb. 1.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.13%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.19%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.10%; May, \$1.12% bid; July, \$1.12% nominal.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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Montreal, Feb. 1.—Prime beeves, sold at 5½ to 6c per 1b.; pretty good animals, 4 to 5c; common stock, 2¾ to 4c per 1b.; large milch cows, 865 oach; other cows, 830 t. 835 each. Calves, 3½ to 6c per 1b. Sheep, about 4½c per 1b. lambs, 6½ to 6½c. Good lots of fat hogs about 9c per 1b.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The top-notch price paid for picked steers of the export class was 85.85, and these were bought for local killing: 85 to 85.50 was the prevailing prices for good to choice outchers'. Stockers and feeders were strong, the local expansion 900 this

DESTITUTION CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS THE WORLD'S MARKETS THE FINANCES OF ONTARIO

Statement of the Treasurer Laid Before the Legislature.

Fearly Have of Gale and Wind

Fearly

Eleven men have been indicted in Chicago for conspiring to defraud is now stated that the Earl of Cithe city on a civic improvement rington will succeed Earl Grey Contract.

SAFEST

There Are Fewer Murders, Proportionately, Here Than Elsewhere.

A despatch from Ithaca, N. Y., follows," Dr. White said: -6C says: While optimistic over the future of this country, Dr. Andrew D. White, former President of Cornell University, and ex-Ambassador to Germany and Russia, sees, grave danger in tan prevalence of the test that the world is better to crime, especially murder, which

COUNTY COUNCIL

The County Council opened its first ssion at Belleville on Tuesday of last sek. As was noted in these columns at week, Mr. W. R. Mather, Reeye of cirling, was unanimously elected War-irling, was unanimously elected War-

ious committees.

WEDNESDAY'S SESSIONS

A large number of communicatious were read, among them one from the Salvation Army and one from the Prisoner's Aid Association of Toronto, each asking for a small grant. No action

he Secretary of the Ontario Good dds Association wrote stating that next meeting would be held in To-to on Murch 23rd and 24th and asket t a delegation be appointed to at-

recommended the rebuilding bridges and the repairing of hers. Referred to Roads and Jonniustee. Wright, Chairman of the Refuge Committee, presented for the past year. It showed in the past year is greatly and the receipts, including ne produce, \$1800. The report the Superintendent, Mr. T. E. and the matron, Mrs. Wilson, mended that they receive an in salary. To the report was Clinton's report, as physician. Owed that during the year he visits. He asked for an insalary. For twenty is the past year is to the House of Reference to the ways as Committee. The past year is the past year year is the past year is the year is the past year is the year is the past year is the year year is the

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e mover instanced three cases in

ey township of indigent persons
would not go to the House of Refand are being supported by the
sabip Council and neighbors,
ne motion was unanimously adopt-

oy Mr. Vermityea, seconded Newton that the County of s request the Lieutenant-Gov-Council to issue an order ter; the agreement dated 21st Septi90, between the County of and the town of Trenton and on the 31st day of December, the amount the town of Trenton in the County of Hastings yearly use of the Court House, jail, office and other County offices, use of registry office and the exthe administration of Justice, lighting, and care of the said, the maintenance of prisoners, etc. Carried. ermityea moved, seconded by st., that the County House of Committee be composed of Newton, Kells, and the Wararried.

lged. B. Mallory, County Treasurer, Mr. B. Mallory, County Treasurer, sked the Council to assume the payent of the bond he is compelled to armish the county. Referred to Ways and Means Committee. Mr. Hanley introduced a by-law to popoint a Board of Management for the fouse of Refuge.

Mr. Ketcheson introduced a by-law of authorize the borrowing of a certain

Mr. F. B. Gunter of Wall-

counts.

law appointing High School
as follows: Stirling, G. W.
r, M. D.; Madoc, W. Fuller
reen; Deseronto, H. G. Bogert;
Jas. Harry,
aw was introduced authorizing
owing of \$65,000 to meet current

ires.

ion the matter of transferring
piece of road to the Governthe Trent Canal was left in the
the Finance and Public Prop-

WARNING!!

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Wishes to call the attention of the Public to the following extract from the Criminal Code:

492—Every one is guilty of an indictable offence, and liable to two years' imprisonment, who

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(b) Prevents or obstructs the sending, conveyance or delivery of any communication by any such telegraph, telephone or fire-alarm, or the transmission of electricity for any such electric light, or for any such purpose as aforesaid.

2—Any one who wilfully by any overt act, attempts to commit any such offence, is guilty of an offence and liable, on summary conviction, to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, or to three months' imprisonment, with or without hard labour.—R. S. C. 168, ss. 40 and 41.

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ernment consent to the establishment of Agricultural Classes for the county of Hastings, and also to urge on the Government that they provide free of cost to the county a road roller.

After some discussion the committee was made smaller, and the following appointed: Messrs. Ketcheson, Thompson, Kells, and the Warden.

On motion Mr. Cook and Mr. Bleecker were appointed a deputation to attend the convention of the Good Roads Association to be held in Toronto on March 23 and 24, and a grant of \$10 was made to the Association towards expenses of the convention.

On motion Mr. J. Carson was paid\$15 for damages sustained to his engine in going through Bell's creek bridge.

SATURDAY'S SESSION

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SATURDAY'S SESSION

There was very little business at the Saturday morning session of Council.

Three by-laws were given their third reading and a number of accounts were passed.

Moved by Mr. Ketcheson, seconded by Mr. Newton, that the Clerk be instructed to send a copy of the original letter sent to Mr. Mikel, Clerk of the city of Belleville, re reply to city of Belleville in reference to their request re city poor in County House of Refuge, to the Mayor of the city of Belleville.

Moved by Mr. Hanley, seconded by Mr. Silts, that Mr. Vermilyea, the Clerk and Reeve of Rawdon be a committee to investigate re the appointment of valuators in other counties and as to their effectiveness, and report at June session. Carried.

Council adjourned until Tuesday, June 14th.

January Report of Springbrook Public School

In order of merit.
Sr. IV.—A Reid, L McConnell, L Forestell, C Welch, Libbie McConnell, E Reid, E Thompson, D Nerrie, W Thompson, M Rosebush.

E Thompson, D Nerrie, W Thompson, M Rosebush, Jr. IV.—E Barton, R Roblin and H Rob-lin (equal) A Bateman. Sr. III.—J Wilson, D Forestell. G Nerrie R Garrison, E Jones, Jr. III.—E Barton, E Thompson, E William of the Company of the Company of the H Quacker Design, Jr. even. 22, 28

Sr. II.—C Forestell, F Danford, V Kemp W Reid, K Thompson, N Cooper, A Jones F Tunner

W stead, & Frompson, & Coope,
F Tanner.
Sr. Pc. II.—M Heath, M Reid, G Danford, C Thompson, P Welch and M Mason
(Jr. Pt. II.—N Sweet, G Reid, H Kemp,
M Sweet, V Barrion, T Bateman,
Sr. I.—P Mumby and R Webb (equal) A
Green, J Cooney, B Reid,
Jr. I, (A)—N Caldwell and R Searlett
(equal) J Cronk, C Jones, G Heath, A
Mumby, L Thompson, I Heath, H Sweet,
F Cooper.

In the grounds of Dalhousle castle, Scotland, is said to be a famous example of the sympathy of the vegetable world with human death. It was anciently believed in the neighborhood that a branch always fell from this oak when a member of the family died. Apparently the fail of the original tree early in the eighteenth century did not break the sympathy, for a new one yrrang from the old root, and it is upon record that as lately as 1874 an old forester, seeing a branch fall from this on a still day, cried, "The laird's deed noo!" News of the eleventh Earl of Dalhousie's death soon followed.

Straightforward.

He—You mustn't believe every beggar who comes to your door. She—But this was no common beggar. He was a sea captain who had lost everything in a shipwreck. He—How do you know he was? She—He told a straightforward story about how his slip went to pieces on the coast of Switzerland.

The Higher Criticism.
The Clergyman—But, my friend, why make use of such abominable oaths?
The Motorcyclist—Abominable! Do you know any better ones?—Harper's Weekly.

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Mr. Ewart Sills of Foxboro is spending couple of weeks at the home of his aunt, Irs. J. L. Ashley.

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ADVERTISING NOTICES

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.
Trainscallat Stirling station as folio Mail & Ex...6.03 a. m. Passenger. 10.27 a. m. Mail & Ex. 3.41 p. m.

The Stirling News-Argus.

The quarterly meeting of the Methodist congregations of Rawdon circuit will be held in Bethel church on Sunday morning next at 10.30.

for Stirling.

The ladies of St. John's church, Stirling, will hold a "Box Social" in McKee's Hall on Monday evening, Feb. 7th. Each lady is requested to bring a box, name enclosed, with lunch for two. Boxes will be sold by auction, so girls make your boxes pretty and secure the highest bid. Coffee served free. Musical program will commence at 8 o'clock, Admission free.

The public are invited to the illustration.

The public are invited to the illustrated lecture given by Col. W. N. Ponton and J. W. Johnson, M. P. P., of Belleville, in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Monday evening next, Feb. 7th. The subject will be 'Travel Talks at Home and Abroad.' These men are well known to Stirling audiences, and no doubt there will be a large attendance. Admittance by silver collection at the door.

After the regular meeting of the Board of Education on Tuesday evening the members, on the invitation of the Chairman, Morden Bird, Esq., repaired to the Kerby House for a banquet. The village Council had also been invited, and a few other personal friends, and after partaking of an oyster stew and other delicacies, toasts, speeches and songs filled the time till after midnight, and every one present enjoyed the feast of reason and flow of soul.

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Names in order of merit, Sr. IV.—E Mabee, I Jarvis, E Lohnes, Jr. IV.—L Jarvis, C. Rupert, Sr. III.—E Mabee, H Lohnes. G Wallis, 'Armstrong,' Sr. II.—M Sullivan (honors), E Wanna-naker.

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Sad Death at West Huntingdon

THURSDAY, FEB. 3, 1910.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Madoc Agricultural Society at its annul meeting decided to hold its fair on Sept. 27 and 28.

The quarterly communion service of the Methodist church will be held on Sunday morning next. Service at 10.30.
The annual Convention of the Kingston Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union is being held in the Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union is being held in the West of the Union Presbyterial Union

Wellman's Women's Institute

will be held in Bethel church on Sunday morning next at 10.30.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday next at 3 p.m. A hearty welcome is extended to all ladies of the congregation.

The inquest to inquire into the cause of death of Owen Nolan, who was found dead in the stable of the Stirling House on Dec. 27th, was adjourned to Tuesday afternoon next, Feb. 8th, at two celock, when it is hoped a verdict will be reached.

The annual Convention of the Ontario Branch of the Dominion Alliance will be held in Elm Street Methodist church. Toronto, on Feb. 16 to 18. Arrangements have been made for single fare tickets to delegates from all points in Ontario.

Why cannot Stirling have a Board of Trade? Such institutions exist in many places no larger than this, and are found very useful in promoting the interests of the places in which they are established, and we believe a good live Board of Trade would be an excellent thing for Stirling.

The regular monothly meeting of the women's 1stitute was held on January 25th at the home of Mrs. John and 25th at the home of Mrs. Hubble, the President, opened the meeting, and after the reading of the meeting, and after the reading of the minutes, Mrs. Hubble, the President, opened the meeting, and after the reading of the meeting, and after th

A GREAT FEAT

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lear Bro. Montgomery.—We, your thren of L. O. L. No. 110, wish to ex-d to you and Mrs. Montgomery our st heartfelt sympathy for the loss of one our little ones. We share your sorrow I pray our Father to comfort you'n this or of bereavement. We see but dimly through the mists and vanors

While it is often impossible to preven an accident, it is never impossible to be prepared—it is not beyond any one's pur-per is not beyond any one's pre-lational properties of the pre-lation of the prevention of the pre-triation of the

TUESDAY, FEB. 15TH—On lot 21, in the 4th concession of Sidney, the farm stock and implements belonging to Mr. George Barton. Sale at 12.30 p.m. sharp. Wm. Rodgers, auctioneer.

PROGRAM FOR 1910 OF THE

YOUNG PEOPLE'S LITERARY SOCIETY

of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling

FEB. 7TH-Lecture, illustrated. Col. W. N. Ponton, M.A. and J. W. Johnston, M.P.P., Belleville. M.P.P., Belleville. FEB. 22ND—Lecture. "The Rose, the Thistle, and the Shamrock." Rev. A. Logan Geggie of Toronto. Also, Mr. Ernest Hazeldine, Tenor Vocalist, of

Toronto.

MARCH 21st—Lecture, illustrated. "An Evening with Charles Dickens." by Mr. E. S. Williamson, Toronto. Mr. John McIntosh of Belleville will sing some Scotch songs in costume.

APRIL 4TH—Lecture. "Shakespeare's King Lear." Rev. Prof. Dyde, Queen's University, Kingston.

MAY 2ND—Lecture. "The Obligation of the Individual to the State." W. R. Mather, Stirling.

Notice to Creditors

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Came in my enclosure about Dec. 15th, 1909, one heifer coming two years old. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges. South half lot 21, concession 2, Rawdon.

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Largeness of Heart Is Held to Be Better Than Big Brain.

THE S. S. LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON,

God gave Solomon wisdom and understanding exceeding much and largeness of heart.—I. Kings was a second to the standing exceeding much and largeness of heart.—I. Kings was a second to the standing exceeding much and largeness of heart.—I. Kings was well as great. Nobody impeaches the was well as great. Nobody impeaches the intellectual power of ... do the cart will only the other hand, the best portrayal of God we have is in that at well are told he made silver as he stones of the streets in his catal city. He had a wisdom that he had such unbounded wealth he had such unbounded wealth with singular bistorian who lie and of the earth to hear him, the had such will be a say to speak well and that he had something beyond see things. The greatest of God's will should be suppressed that will end ure to the end of time, but this singular bistorian who lie us the story of his life reminds that he had something beyond see things. The greatest of God's will should be suppressed to the standing that he had something beyond the heart is full of good intentions, it is easy to speak well and that well end to the will be suppressed to the standing that he had something beyond the heart is full of good intentions, it is easy to speak well and that we are told one on everybody's lips, but to exa generous spirit, "LARGENESS OF HEART."

It is called in this text.

The Bible has a great deal to say out a man's heart. The mind of nis not ignored. We are told love God with all our mind, but to ne can read the Bible without carning that its chief concern is the the-heart. The Scriptures the unmistakable clearness declare a supremacy of the heart of the will be suppressed to the man and study the catalogues of our state is the suppressed to the man ind and the heart is so ignored.

If our heart is dwarfed, if our

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evenue of me.

"My mother," he continued,
"whom I remember well, was the
very image of Burns himself, with
nis flashing dark eyes and jet black
tair. She could sing, too. She
sed to sing nearly all father's
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pute apart from his connection h Scotland's poet, Mr. Pyrkes, army," as he is known in the tory, is a little man, with not yr much of the Burns stamp out him—is an extremely intering old workman, his particular to f tea-urn making being one which very few younger folk are ning their attention, for newlight the prown, hand-hammered tea-urn of fashion.

Science abated not a jot in its progress during the wonderful months of 1909. In 1909 Sir William Ramsay announced that he had succeeded intransmitting four different substances into carbon—zirconium, but will be stances.

Hints for Busy Housekeepers.

Recipes and Other Valuable Information of Particular Interest to Women Folks.

the on with the other foot.

The captain raised the ax again, and brought it down on the anily term be watched intently for the grizzly's reappearance, nothing more was year fold intently for the grizzly's reappearance, nothing more was year fold intently for the grizzly's reappearance, nothing more was year found in the canoe, severed by that dought blow of the trapper's ax. They were fondly preserved as trophes of the adventure, and were always exhibited when the captain told the story of his encounter with the grizzly.

THE SUPERFLUOUS WOMEN.

According to the estimate of the census statisticinas, the superfluous women for whom the delegates to the national conference of women workers at Southsea, England, tried to plan a happy futures of the present year. The problem of the property work of many property and message, the 'pith of the national conference of women workers at Southsea, England, tried to plan a happy futures workers at Southsea, England, tried to plan a happy future workers at Southsea, England, thereof 1,234,563 at the middle of the present year. The problem of the property of the property workers at Southsea, England, there of the stroubles every town.

But the doblers have long put the bld brown, hand-hammered tea-urn out of fashion.

He can boast that whilst his fathed while that whilst his fathed that while the same trade for 50 years, he himself has been in the wrist, so to speak. Into do the wrist, so to speak. Into data the same trade for 50 years, he himself has been with his fathed to 50 years, he himself has been with his fathed to sure and present while the same trade for 50 years, he himself has been with his fathed to sure and present while the wrist, so to speak. Into data the same trade for 50 years, he himself has been with his fathed to sure and the wrist, so to speak. Into dot of the wrist, so to sp

THE LAUNDRY

UNUSUAL RECIPES

NOISE AND LIGHT MISSED.

Why Some Townspeople are Unable to Live in the Country.

FEB. 6. n VI. Almsgiving and Prayer, Matt. 6 1-15. Golden Text, Matt. 6. 1.

Matt. 6.1.

se 1. Your righteousness—asted with that of the scribes harisees (see Matt. 5. 20). The eding? righteousness enjoined sus includes right religious pless and practice. He is to exhibit the limitations of sws in the matter of almsgivery and fasting, their shortcoming being that they east things before men, to be of them. All three of these mances the Jews recognized so if worship, of about equal What Jesus inveighed at was not the acts but the of winning a name for piety ye have no reward—Imply-that is promised in verses 4, 118, that reward may be extituted.

your Father—It is his ap-, and not man's, that is to ght in all acts of worship. Ins—The practice of deeds of ssion to the poor had grown acknowledged among the Jews of the essential observances igion, a matter to be attend-as fastidiously as prayer or g

the heart to help us and make us tender in spirit and we must exercise the heart by helping others.

REY. FRANK L. GOODCHILD.

the man in return both the rewards of this life and those of the world to come.

5. Ye shall not be—Has the force of a command.

Stand and pray—The posture of royare, in the synagogues and in the corners—of the streets, was standing, with uncovered head, and face turned toward the sanctuary. This gave the play-acting hypocrites their opportunity. They would deliberately so arrange-it—that the hour of prayer might find them at the chief places of public concourse, and there they would strike, their conspicuous attitude of devotion. Or, in the public service, they would recite private prayers in a tone loud enough to attract notice, their whole idea of prayer being that it was an act to be seen of men.

6. Enter into thine inner chamber—The upper room of an Oriental house, for guests of retirement. Public prayer is not proscribed. But there are absent in secret. Fine the sees, it is not needful that men should see. In secret prayer, when the door is shut against a peering world, the unworthy motives that tempt a man in public worship.

Thy Father who seeth in secret. Since he sees, it is not needful that men should see. In secret prayer a man is necessarily at his best.

7. Vain repetitions—For an example, read 1 Kings 18. 26. The captain snatched his ax, deming that the best weapon to defend himself from such a foe, and stood with it uplifted, ready strike the huge aggressor.

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Cood day!" said Hamish, mov-toward the door.
You're not paid me for my ad-e," said the doctor, who knew

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Mother (tenderly)—"And just to think, Bobby, the little Eskimo boys never wash their faces or cut their nails or go to school." Bobby—"Oh, ma, why couldn't I have been an Eskimo boy?"

Hamish was a thrifty Scot, like iny of bis race, an enthusiast over if. But one day Hamish had such culiar and unpleasant feelings at he reluctant!y consulted a physian.

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DANGEROUS COLLARS.

manufactured by the Government) to light his pipe, when a spark from the match flew on to his collar. This collar was made of celluloid, and at once took fire, with the result that the cabby was severely burnt about the face and neck.

A MAN OF LAW

'Well, stranger, I'm mayor of ese diggin', an' I'm fer law encrement. We've got an ordince what says no saloun shall be arer than 300 feet from a church, give 'em three days to move the

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WHAT KEEPS HIM BACK.

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Many a man would climb higher up the ladder of fame if he didn't spend so much of his time trying to keep some one else from doing t.

As the bride and what she may ried leaves the church, trouble ge busy and follows them home.

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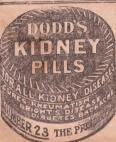
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First Boy—"The preacher said that when the contribution box went round everybody thought to themselves not how much they could give, but how little they could give without feelin' ashamed. Now, I'd jest like to know how he can tell what people is thinkin' about."
Second Boy—"Of course he knows how folks feel. Before he got to be a minister he used to sit in the congregation himself."

JOHN HALLAM, TORONTO

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INNOCENCE OF KITTENS.

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Mr. Robert W. Yerkes raises the question whether kittens are born with a propensity to eat mice. Fire Manx kittens kept in a cage for six weeks with a mouse, which was introduced when they were furments old, made no attempt to injure it, although they were hungry, until the mother cat was introduced and showed how mice should be treated. Other observers have noted the indisposition of kittens to attack mice, but the questions whether mouse-killing is instinctive or educational with them. son whether mouse-killing is in stinctive or educational with ther can hardly be said to have bee settled.

A LITTLE COLD.

He caught a little cold—
That was all.
So the neighbors sadly said,
As they gathered round his bed,
When they heard that he was dead.

He caught a little cold— That was all. (Puck.)

Neglect of a cough or cold often leads to serious trouble. To break up a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough that is curable, mix two ounces of Glycerine, a half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and eight ounces of pure Whisky. Take a teaspoonful every four hours. You can buy these at any good drug store and easily mix them in a large bottle.

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"Wretch! You would do him harm?"

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When you put an ointment on to so child's skin it gets into the blood through the pores just as surely as if you put it into the child's stomach. Did you ever think of that? How important, therefore, that the salve or balm should be pure!

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The Weapon That Tried Several Times to difficult. Tells an ory illustrative of the difficult. Tells an ory illustrative of the tell of Canada's size it is not as well undards is in the of Canada's size it is not as well undards is imply be where it seems a know something of beyond the Sea. It is seems to beyond the Sea. It is not in the wall fronting the Thatmes hangs the most victous looking knife I have been proper authority for the ryoung visitor to a proper authority for the ryoung visitor to her young visitor to he wall fronting the many he gave it or the section of India from which it came. "That was customary you have to make applied their ambassador, that Miss — or have to make applied the her was affixed to it. Ilke a button on a foll, one joint of a man's backbone. The knife had been tried to kill me several times. It's always on the watch when I got it there was affixed to it. Ilke a button on a foll, one joint of a man's backbone. The knife had been tried to kill me several times. It's always on the watch when I got it there was affixed to it. Ilke a button on a foll, one joint of a man's backbone. The knife had been tried to kill me several times. It's always on the watch when I got it there was affixed to it. Ilke a button on a foll, one joint of a man's backbone. The knife had been tried to kill me several times. It's always on the watch

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Rises In August and Disappears Regularly In February.

One of Michigan's unsolved mysteries is the island that every summer comes to the surface of Lake Orion and every winter goes back again to the depths from whence it arose.

Its periods of appearance and disappearance are nearly regular. It comes to the surface about the middle of August and goes down again about Feb. 15. What causes it to act thus strangely is a conundrum that none has been able to solve, but to keep it above water or compel it to remain in the depths have been alike without results.

COLOSSUS OF RHODES.

LONDON THEATERS.

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The Ordeal of Getting Past the Aged Ticket Taker.

The first difference I always find between going to the play in London and in New York is that in New York the man who has paid for a seat is made to feel that he is a patron of the house, while in London he is greeted by the staff of the theater not exactly as an intruder, but as a necessary evil. They appreciate that an audience is a necessary evil, but sooner than have one they would almost prefer to close the house.

In London for that importantly strategic outpost of ticket taker an old man of eighty is always employed. You think this is accident, but it is not. Old age naturally suggests failing eyesight, and when he keeps you waiting in the foyer while he examines your ticket and assures himself that it is not a laundry bill or a motor bus receipt you attribute the delay to his old eyes. But in detaining you he has a motive. Standing at his elbow, scowling darkly, there always is another man, apparently a plain clothes out from Scotland Yard, uncomfortably disguised in evening dress. And while the aged ticket taker pretends to scrunitize your ticket the lookout man scans you. You cannot escape his eye. He never sleeps. No American, no matter how reckless, can bope to pass that man with a concealed bomb or a revolver or wearing a white the with a dinner cont.—Collier's.

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Skunk Sable 50% Muskrat 70% Wombat 35% Mink 35% Racoon 70% Oppossum 70% Wallaby 25% Beaver 15%

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FURS

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Rodgers.

Mrs. W. French and Master Melville spent a day last week in Belleville.

From another Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dodds of Brechin
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for a few days left on Tuesday morning for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodds and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clarke were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrews on Monday avening.

We hear Mr. Albert Eggleton purchased a new piano while in Toronto.

Mrs. Fred Caldwell came down from Toronto on Monday night to visit her mother, Mrs. Miles Reid, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Heid.

Mr. Stanley Eggleton, who has been working for an electric light Co. at Niagara Falls is spending a few days with his brother in Marmora, who has been on the sick list for some time, but is now able to be around again, we are glad to hear.

Wellman's Corners

Mr. Bert and Miss Evalena Eggleton are home from Peterboro for a few days entertaining friends from The C.O.R. ran an excursion from T

Wellman's Corners

Mr. German Sills and daughter of Belleville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fanning a week ago.

Miss Baker of Ernesttown is visiting at Mr. P. Burgess.

Miss Kerr of Madoc spent the week and at Mr. A. Morton's.

Messrs. W. Dracup, E. Jackman and C. Morton attended the county Orange meeting at Madoc on Feb. 1st.

That the Epworth League is up and doing is evident from the following: On Feb. 1st they were favored by an interesting address by Mr. Mellor on the subject of "Forward Movement." On Friday evening, Feb. 4th a large number from here were entertained by the Bethel League to a social evening, which was a very pleasant event. Under the leadership of Mr. H. Hoover about thirty of our young people responded to an invitation to take part in the service of the Stirling Epworth League on Monday evening last and on their return were loud in their praise of the pood time provided by the Stirling friends. We hope for a return visit in the near future.

Miss Emma Rainnie and Mrs. Mason are delegates this week to the E. L. convention in Cobourg.

Chatterton Chips

The dairymen have been harvesting their ice crop lately, and it is of fine quality and well matured.

Blake Sarles has returned from his two months' visit to the western States, and bright at bride with him. "She's Knom Missouri."

Will Frederick, who had the mistortune to broak his leg about a month ago has so far recovered that he starts for his home in Kisley, Sask, this week.

We are having lots of measles, pink eye, etc., in this section.

We understand that C. A, Gardner of Foxboro has run his auto, (which is a Ford) all winter until the last snow storm, having been to Picton, Madoc, Tweed, and other places a number of crimes. He hast asken quite a number of crimes. He hast asken quite a number of crimes. He hast asken quite a number of crimes as started to grow again, and they expect to start sawing soon.

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Have you seen the comet?

Official returns show that during 1909 the people of the United Kingdom paid the farmers of Canada forty million dolars for wheat, five millions for flour, ten millions for cattle, six millions for bacon, and twenty-two millions for other produce.

Bailey 76, J Bradley 76, L Tucker 76, A Grammar—1V.—I Sine 76, L Narrie 75, F Martin 62, C McMullen 60, I McMullen 60, L McMullen 60, L

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dodds and little laughter of Brechin are visiting her nother, Mrs. S. Stapley.

Mrs. Smith of Glen Ross spent a week with her mother, Mrs. S. Stapley.

Mrs. Smith of Glen Ross spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Cooke, and other friends.

Rev. G. E. Ross, our pastor, is holding revival services at West Huntingford, and the friends.

Mrs. Albert Eggleton, who has been at the West for three years, intends noving in their did home here.

We are sorry to hear of the serious lines of Miss Evelyn Bird.

Several from here attended the revival meeting at West Huntingdon on bonday evening last.

Mrs. W. H. Clarke and children spent unday with Mrs. J. R. Clarke.

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Miss Elda Garrison spent can at her home.

Anson and Glen Ross have arranged for a hockey match soon.

Miss Bessie Hubble, for the past week, has been visiting friends in Campbeliford.

Mt. Pleasant

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Miss Annie Somers and cousin are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Johnson of Minto.

Measles are all the rage now. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Potts are visiting friends at Northport.

Mr. Ernest McDonald is visiting his uncle at Norwood.

A large party gathered at the home of Mr. F. Young on Thursday evening and spent a very enjoyable time eating oysters.

Miss Maggie Sharpe is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Watson of Wellman's.

Some people prefer a cutter to a sleigh load.

We hope the engineer of the gasoline saw don't catch the measles.

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BAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

Telegraphic Briefs From Our Own

Sixty-Eight Men Killed in Mexico--Others

May be Still Below.

A despatch from Toronto says:

A despatch from Mexico City

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CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS THE WORLD'S MARKETS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.

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We York City's Record for the

ters to are his life.

YEATHLERS OBJECT.

Miss Wanning Postsilice on Sun

day May Cane Trouble.

A despatch from New York cays:

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A despatch from Wening grays:

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Provincial Treasurer Meets With Painful Accident.

A despatch from Toronto says:
While proceeding down the walk from the Parliament buildings on Thursday evening shortly after the adjournment of the Legislature.

ALL DOGS MUST BE MUZZLED

Spread of Rabies in Ontario May Lead to the Order.

A despatch from Toronto says:

Rabies in a very violent form has broken out in several portions of Ontario, particularly the western district, and the provincial and Dominion authorities are now exchanging correspondence and taking steps to prevent the disease from spreading any farther. That the outbreak is a serious one into doubted, but the provincial authorities prefer not to discuss it. Numerous dogs and cows have been destroyed as a result of the outbreak, and no less than four people have had to go to the Pasteur Institute at New York for treatment, the result of bites by maddogs.

Investigation has proven that the listed in the provincial Board of Health and Provinc

ment, the result of bites by mad dogs.

Invostigation has proven that the origin of the outbreak is traceable three or four weeks ago, when a mad dog ran across the International Bridge at Lewiston, to Queenston, and thence up the stone road to Niagara Falls, Ont., where it bit several dogs on its rampage. It finally fell exhausted in a field and died.

Dr. C. A. Hodgetts, secretary of

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HOW TO PAY A CITY DEBT.

Have Somebody Insured for a Sut-ficient Sum.

Diver Sure None Were Carried Away by the Current.

Recent Sum.

A despatch from Bridgeport, Cenn., says: Insurance on his life for between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000.000, 'the city to pay the premiums and receive the benefits under the nelicies at his death, is the now scheme for paying the city debt, presented by David S. Beach, to the Bridgeport common council. We stipulates in return that the city erect to his memory a monument with a suitable inscription, acclaiming him the originator of municipal life insurance.

Away by the Current.

A despatch from Sudbury says: to The Thready's session of the inquestion to the week on the Wobbwood wreek Diverse o

MORE CARS INSPECTED.

88.10 First Five Months of Last Crop tered. Year Beat the Record.

VOTED RELATIVES INCREASES
Two Days Before the People Turned

A despatch from Ottawa says of the Department of Trage and Commerce reports that during the past month 1,591 cars more of

Fifty Thousand Dollars for Flood

A despatch from St. Catharines says: The explosion of a gasoline stove in a Chinese laundry in Meriton on Thursday caused a fire which almost completely destroyed the Hough Block, in which are situated Mrs. Hunniford's grocery, Chas. Roantree's barber shop, & Chinese laundry and an Italian fruit store. The Lincoln, Riordan and Merritton hose companies responded to the alarm, and after two heurs' work succeeded in getting control of the fire. The loss is estimated at about \$5,000, with very little insurance.

TRAGEDY

Parisians Must Not Block Sewers With Confetti During Celebrations.

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Pills Actually Mako.

Rehind the veil of her modesty desilent patience nearly every man endures suffering that easis shadow over half her existence. Shadow over half her existence. Advantages: Wars have ceased; the down over half her existence. Advantages: Wars have ceased; the faintness, and headache upon to have under the system requires the valued by suffering women, to have used them, above allow need that makes wen well, bright and at their best, is it the screet of the great such of her williams? Pink Pills. These Pills is it the screet of the great such of her well bright and at their best, is it the screet of the great such is of Dr. Williams? Pink Pills. S. Geo. C. Wadden, Wadden's ve, N. S., says:—"A few years to I was completely run down. At 18 unable to do my housework, and fish—has vanished, and have suffered from severe headaches, ins in the back and dizziness, dat times I felt as though life searcely worth living. I had ed several medicines without get grelief, when I finally decidegive Dr. Williams' Pink Pills al. After using two or three tes I noticed a change, and aftaking the Pills about two miles I was again enjoying good lith, and have since been well of strong. I can confidently rememed Dr. Williams' Pink Pills al. After using two or three tes I noticed a change, and aftaking the Pills about two miles I was again enjoying good lith, and have since been well of strong. I can confidently rememed Dr. Williams' Pink Pills all weak and rundown women." You can get this great bloodiding, health vestoring medicine any dealer in drugs, or the law will be sent by mail at 50 ts a box qr six boxes for \$2.00 the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., cheville, Ont.

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A MESSAGE OF HOPE

TO WORRIED MOTHERS

There is no other medicine can equal Baby's Own Tablets for the cure of stomach, bowel and teething troubles. They come as a message of hope to worried mothers as they make sickly, peovish, crying children bright and well. And the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that this medicine contains no opiate or poisonous soothing staff. Mrs. Maurice Muuphy, Glanford, Ont., says:—"I think Baby's Own Tablets the best medicine in the world. I know of notting that can equal them in curring stomach, bowel and teething troubles." Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine and guitar."

CAUTION.

"Lizzie," said the young mistres, "I have been looking into the kitchen, and I am shocked to note your carelessness."

"Carelessness, mum?" says Lizzie. "Well, if there's a cleaner stie. "Well, if there's a cleaner stower stage. "Well, if there's a cleaner stower stower stage. "Well, if there's a cleaner stower stower stage. "Well, if there's a cleaner stower stower stower stage. "Well, if there's a cleaner stower stower stower stage. "Well, if there's a cleaner stower stower stower stower stage. "Well, if there's a cleaner stowe

"Name the domestic animals?" sked the teacher one afternoon, then she was giving her small pulls a quiz.

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When a millionaire points out the road to riches he invariably de-signates one that leads away from his own private hunting grounds.

WHERE WILL IT STOP?



LIFE IN GILBERT ISLES. Effects of Civilization on the Natives.

Bome curious effects of civiliza-tion are related in a Government report on a visit to the scattered Gilbert Islands in the South Paci-fic, annexed by Great Britain in 1202, says The London Daily Mail. The results may be summarized as follows:

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An effective remedy, that will usually break up a cold in twenty-four hours, is easily made by mixing together in a large bottle two ounces of Glycerine, a half-ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and eight ounces of pure Whisky. This mixture will cure any cough that is curable, and is not expensive, as it makes enough to last the average family an entire year. Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure is prepared only in the laboratories of the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

CAUTION.

CURED HER KIDNEYS.

TIME AND MONEY.

If time is money, as they say, It is surprising strange, That for a half hour we delay, To get 2 cents in change.

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SAME HOUSE.

Two wretched locking tramps were brought before the magistrate. Addressing the worse-looking of the two, he said:—

"Where do you live?"

"And where do you live?" addressing the second.

"Yes got the room above him, your worship."

English Tourist—"Waiter, bring me sugar, please." Wild West Waiter—"There ain't but three humps in the house, captain. You kin have them as soon as them gents gits through with 'em; they've got 'em marked, and they're shaking dise with 'em."

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THEN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED MRS. RICHARD'S DIABETES.

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East Chezzeteook, Halifax Co. N. S., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—Cured of Diabetes and Rheumatism from which she had suffered for six years, Mrs. Boniface Richard, well known here, is joyfully telling her neighbors that she owes her health to Dodd's Kidney Fills and to no other cause.

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Dodd's Kidney Pills cured Mrs. Richard's Diabetes because Diabetes is a Kidney Disease, and Dodd's Kidney Fills eure all Kidney Disease. After suffered were under his sole control.

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A man is really clever if he can make you like an old story when he tells it.

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A married man always laughs when one of his bachelor friends is led to the altar.

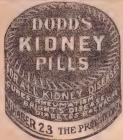
im inheritance of weak lungs is a serious manu-cap, but Allen's Lung. Balsam, taken at the first sign of a cough will ensure immunity from this dangerous defect. Don't trice with unknown cure-alls.

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THE EXPLANATION.

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Mrs. Youngbride — Mrs. Smith says there is lots of cream on her milkbottles every morning. Why is there never any on yours

The milkman—I'm too honest, lady, that's why. I fills my bottles so full that there ain't never no room left for cream.

The Best Liver Pill.—The action of the liver is easily disarranged. A sudden chill, undue exposure to the elements, over-indulgence in some favorite food, excess in drinking, are a few of the causes. But whatever may be the cause, Parmelee's Vogetable Pills can be relied upon as the best corrective that can be taken. They are the leading liver pills and they have no superiors among such preparations.

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And now the female "highway man"

At robbing takes her fling.

Soan woman will compete with mar

In ev'ry single thing.

HELPFUL.

Husband "Have you don your last to economize this month, Mare, as I requested" Wifess" Oh, yes, I spoke to the grocer, the butcher, and the landlord, and got them to put off presenting their bills until next month."

Tis Well to Know a Good Thing, said Mrs. Surface to Mrs. Know well, when they met in the street. "Why, where have year been for a week back?" "Oh, just down to the stere for a bottle of Dr. Thomas? Eclectric Oil," and Mrs. Surface, who hates puns, walked on But she remembered, and when she contracted a weak back there was another customer for Eclectric Oil.

HIS EGG PRODUCER.

ast Chezzetcock, Halifar Co. S., Feb. 7.—Ghecial.)—Cured Diabetes and Rheumatism from ich she had suffered for six krs, Mrs. Boniface Richard, well own here, is joyfully (clling her caubity). A short time ago a large factory, fitted with electric light, caught, krs, Mrs. Boniface Richard, well come bright on by cold and a sain, and though I was attended a doctor he could not help me, for author of the factory, he asked a dector he could not help me, for the electric light. The manager of the factory, he asked by my mind to try Dodd's Kidney bills and to my surprise they did good almost at once. Two boxic cured me completely. I recomend them to everybody as a cure are Diabetes, Backache and all her Kidney Diseases." Dodd's Kidney Dilseases, Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism yas acanaed by her diseased Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases. Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism yas canaed by her diseased Kidney Diseases, and Dodd's kidney bills cure all Kidney Diseases. Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism yas canaed by her diseased Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases. Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism yas canaed by her diseased Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases. Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism yas canaed by her diseased Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases. Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism yas canaed by her diseased Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Diseases. Mrs. Richard's Rheumatism vanished.

HIS MASTERE'S VOICE.

"Why do you want to give your parrot away?"

"He uses such awful language."

"Who trained him?"

"Yos, I see. You want to give your parrot away?"

"Well-er-all-you see—"

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is the duty of every Quarterly OffiBoard in the Methodist church in
dada to appoint a committee from its
mbers on Temperance and Moral Ron. The Stirling committee is comed of the whole Board. At the regregeting on Monday last the quesgeting of the serious spread of the gaming evil was considered, and in view
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Methodist Church

A very impressive sermon was preached by Rev. H. L. Phelogs in the Methodset, from the 25th verse of the 15th sate, from the 25t

Shall lure it back to cancel half a line. Nor all your tears wash out a word of it."

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It is twiss?" Conscience inquires in it is right?" The Christian spirit increorages: It is for the Glory of God?"

Basson works from the material standpoint, from the viewpoint of the world, from the desire for pleasure, wealth and attainment, and dictates a way that a "seement right, but the end..." Conscience is that which approves the right, but it may be misguided. Evil may sometimes be done conscientiously. Saul persecuted the Christians according to the dictates of his conscience. Conscience can only be followed when backed by right reasoning and when in agteement with the Word of God. Therefore search the Scriptures and obtain a wide knowledge of the Bible, which alone is infallible truth. It is our guide, our instructor, our foundation for this life and that which is come, where all is peace.

While the offering was being taken a very pleasing solo, "Oh Eyes that are Weary" was rendered by Miss P. Kerrof Madoc.

Stirlling Board of Education

current year held the 2nd day of February, 100, at the office of the Secretary tat 7 pm.

Memberapresent, M. Bird, Chairman; Dr. J. D. Bissonnette, John Shaw, Dr. C. F. Walt. W. J. Reynolds, Dr. G. W. Faulkner, W. S. Martin, J. S. Morton, Dr. H. H. Alger, and J. T. Belshaw, After the newly appointed and elected trustees had taken the decharation of office the Secretary called for nominations for Chairman for the year 1910.

Moved by W. S. Martin, seconded by W. J. Reynolds, that Mr. Bird be Chairman for 1910. No other nominations being made he was declared elected.

Moved by Dr. Faulkner, seconded by J. S. Morton that a nominating committee consisting of Dr. Faulkner, W. S. Martin, Dr. C. F. Walt, John Shaw and J. T. Belshaw be appointed for the purpose of selecting the various committees and appointing their Secretary-Treasurer.

ember of Library Board - J. L. Ash

The Stirling News-Argus. W. S. Martin, Dr. G. W. Faulkner. Visiting Committee-M. Bird, C. W.

V. S. Martin, Dr. G. W. Fudenser, Visiting Committee-M. Bird, O. W. Thompson, Dr. G. W. Faulkner, John Shaw, Dr. H. H. Alger, J. T. Belshaw, Dr. J. D. Bissonnette.
Cadet Corp and Physical Culture Committee-Dr. C. F. Walt, Dr. H. H. Alger, W. S. Martin.
Moved by Mr. Martin, seconded by Dr. Walt, that the hour of the meeting of the School Board in future shall be 8 p.m.

8 p.m.

Moved by Mr. Martin seconded by Dr. Faulkner that this Bourd adjours to meet on the 10th day of February, a the office of the Secretary.

G. G. THRASHER, Sec.-Treas.

The High Cost of Living BREAD THE STAFF OF LIFE

People Should Eat More Bread---Consumption is Small

Less Than Five Per Cent of the Food Bill of the Average Family

"Eat more bread and less of the luxuries, and the health of the nation will be improved both physically and financially," declared Mr. F. W. Thomp-son, vice-president and managing direct-or of the Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., in an interview.

seen million acres at present unceutitivation.

The trouble is not that of the high
ost of living, but the high and extravaaut living and over-indulgence in expensive luxuries.

"The per capita consumption per anaum of wheat flour is a little over a
barrel per year, and the average per
capita consumption of bread per day in
Canada is less than three cents."—From
the Montreal Gazette of Jan, 28, 1910.

THE NEW 'NORTHERN MESSENGER'

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wilfully:

(a) Destroys, removes or damages anything which forms part of, or is used or employed in or about any electric or magnetic telegraph, electric light, telephone, or firealarm, or in the working thereof, or for the transmission of electricity for other lawful purposes; or (b) Prevents or obstructs the sending, conveyance or delivery of any communication by any such telegraph, telephone or fire-alarm, or the transmission of electricity for any such electric light, or for any such purpose as aforesaid.

2—Any one who wilfully by

purpose as aforesaid.

2—Any one who wilfully by any overt act, attempts to commit any such offence, is guilty of an offence and liable, on summary conviction, to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, or to three months' imprisonment, with or without hard labour.—R. S. C. 168, ss. 40 and 41. 168, ss. 40 and 41.

To constitute an offence the act must be done without legal justification or excuse and without color or right.
—Sec. 48 (2).

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Village Council

Village Council

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Stirling Municipal Council held the 7th day of February at eight o'clock, p.m., at the Council Chamber.

Members present, W. Mather, Reeve; L. Meiklejohn, R. P. Coulter, T. W. Haight and S. Wright.

Movel by Mr. Meiklejohn, seconded by Mr. Coulter, that the Council adjourn to the office of the Secretary.

Minutes of the last regular and speroved. We have a second moved by Mr. Meiklejohn and special meetings were read and approved.

A by-law was introduced by the Reeve for the appointment of officers for 1910 and upon motion of Mr. Meiklejohn seconded by Mr. Wright the same was read and approved. We have the privilege of doing his road to tweet the first time and referred to a committee of the whole on by-laws, which was done, and the committee rose and reported. The report was adopted and was referred back to the Council.

Moved by Mr. Meiklejohn that the by-law precive its third reading by title only, passed at in open Council, signed, sealed and numbered 260.

Moved by Mr. Meiklejohn, seconded by Mr. Haight, that Mr. Sprentall have in open Council, signed, sealed and numbered 260.

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numbered 260.
Moved by Mr. Meiklejohn, seconded by Mr. Haight, that Mr. Sprentall have until the 8th of March before taking any electrical supplies.
The following were appointed officers [2019]

The following were appointed officers for 1910:

G. G. Thrasher, Clerk.
T. G. Clute, Treasurer.
Alfred McCutcheon, Assessor.
E. T. Caverley, Collector.
E. T. Williams and J. T. Belshaw,

Rawdon Council

Garried.
Moved by Mr. Cooke, seconded by
Mr. Vance, that the rules be suspended
for the purpose of appointing officials.
Carried.
Mr. Hawkins introduced a by-law to
appoint Roadmasters, Poundkeepers,

appoint Roadmasters, Poundkeepers, and Fenceviewers, Moved by Mr. Jeffs, seconded by Mr. Vance, that the Council go into a committee of the whole on by-laws, Mr. Cooke in the chair. Carride. Mr. Cooke read by-law clause by

ause.
Moved by Mr. Montgomery, seconded
y Mr. Jeffs that the committee rise
nd report. Carried.
By-law was then read in open Counil, and signed, sealed and numbered

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Moved by Mr. Vance, seconded by Mr. Jeffs, that the Collector's roll be extended until hext meeting of the Council. Oxford Moved by Mr. Hawkins that the following accounts be accounted by Mr. Hawkins that the following accounte to the country of th

A number of persons were found ozon to death in Ohio, New York lassachusetts and New Jersey.

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The Stirling News-Argus.

THURSDAY, FEB. 10, 1910.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The Toronto Board of Education has mounced the abolition of home work r pupils. This example should be fol-wed in Stirling and other places.

Yesterday was Ash Wednesday, the ommencement of Lent. Good Friday this year on March 25th, Easter Sunay on March 27th. This is much arlier than for many years.

Rev. Mr. Hilts has announced that for the next few Sundays he will preach special sermons in the evening on some of the great men of the New Testament, beginning next Sunday with John the Baptist, the herald preacher.

The Auxiliary of the W. M. S. of the dethodist church will hold their annual pen meeting on Monday Feb. 28th in he Sunday School room. An interestage program is being prepared, and resembnents will be served. Admission 50, and 100.

Mr. Thos. H. McKee has the timber ART. HOS. IT. MACROE HAS THE HINDER on the ground for a large coal shed to be built at the G. T. station. A cement floor will be put in and the shed will have a capacity for a large amount of local. Work will be commenced as soon as spring opens.

The delegation composed of committee of the County Council, members of the Stirling Board of Education, village Council, and Agricultural Society, left oday for Toronto to interview the Sovernment in reference to the establishing of an Agricultural Class in contection with Stirling High School.

The Young People's Literary Society vill give the people of Stirling another reat on Feb. 21st, having secured for hat date the well known lecturer, Rev. A. Logan Geggie, of Toronto, also Mr. Crnest Hazeldine, a tenor vocalist of a ternational fame. Their subject will e. "The Rose, the Thistle, and the hamrock."

Cost of Living " wi!l prove interesting.

On Monday night Col. W. N. Ponton, M. A., of Belleville delivered in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church his popular lecture entitled "Travel Trip Around the World." Altogether the Colonel showed over three hundred views, beginning with Japan and travelling westward until he reached Victoria. There was a large crowd to greet the lecturer, and he held them in raptattention for two hours. Many of the Canadian slides shown were illustrative of the C. P. R. and new G. T. P., and one thing that was clearly manifest was that while European countries have many very pretty scenes, yet no country can show such real natural beauty as is to be seen by travelling along these lines of Hailway. Our mountain scenery is

L. O. L. At Home

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The annual "At Home" of Stirling L. O. L. No. 110 was held on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 2nd in the Opera House, and was, considered from every point of view, a brilliant success. The attendance was large, taxing the utmost capacity of the house. The refreshments were appetizing and the supply apparently inexhaustible, the program, all furnished by local talent, was of the usual high order, and the promenades and dancing that followed from midnight until well toward approaching dawn, were enjoyed by an enthusiastic gathering whose motto seemed to be "let joy be unconfined."

Mr. W. R. Howson very acceptably occupied the chair and directed and brought on the several portions of the evening's entertainment in his usual happy manner. The following program was given:

Quartette-Messrs. McComb, Moore, Bird and Ross.

Recitation—Ms. sh. Palmer, Violin Solo—Mr. Earl Lutry.

Selection—The Quartette.

Plano Duet—Misses Clara and Olive Combined of the Commings.

Recitation—Mr. das. Palmer, Violin Solo—Mr. Earl Luery. Selection—The Quartette.

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Sir John Stainer had a wonderful misical memory. It was put to the test once at the Crystal palace when he had to play the organ in the "Messiah" and a follo copy, on which alone he could see the score, was not forthcoming. The conductor was in despair. Sir John cut the knot by a wonderful four de force, playing the part fault lessly right through and entirely from memory, probably the only time the "Messiah" has been so rendered.—London Standard.

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From other parts of the German possessions came reports of atrange predilections for articles of German commerce, as, for example, rubber heels, garters, buckles, and so forth, things which the natives of those countries do not generally use.

The governor of the colony gave an entertainment one year in bonor of the emperor's birthday and invited the chiefs, of the different tribes to it. What was his surprise when he saw these native gentiemen appear with his stolen telegraph wires twisted round their illustrious necks. The higher the dignity the more rings of the wire were round the neck.

Inquiries were soon started in the outlying villages, ond it came to light that the white china insulators of the telegraph poles had become earrings. A young lady of the highest distinction in native society wore a rubber heel hanging from he nose, and a young man who was a well known dandy wore daugling from his ears a pair of beautiful plank silk garters.

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MEATS.

i. Have some fine chopped ley and mix that with some or. Take about a teaspoonful his soft meat, the a string around cross over. Brown the rulades utter, and after that is done like three tablespoonfuls of over them and put enough r in to cover. Let them cook by for an hour. If you add a cream to the gravy when it gives a good flavor. Reten to the strings and serve them in gravy. it this and roll in to each of the clies of meat, the action of the alices of meat, the action of the clies of th

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or Lettuce.—Little bacon kled pork in a skillet, three chalf pint sweet cream, one one constarch, one half glaegar to be added after cool ruit Salad.—Volks of three chalf cool control is a standard after cool control in the standard after cool control is a standard after control in the stan

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amount will make enough for three plates of salad.
Cabbage Dressing.—Plece of butter size of an egg or still larger, three eggs, well beaten; half teacupful of sweet milk, half teaspoonful, seant, of mustard, little salt and black pepper; vinegar to make sour as you like. Boil all together, set aside to cool; shop a half head of cabbage fine; pour dressing over.

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Ladies' Cabbage.—Boil a firm white cabbage fifteen minutes, it changing the water (using boiling water) when tender drain and set aside until perfectly cold. Che fine and add two beaten oggs, one tablespoonful of butter, pepper and salt. three tablespoonfuls of rich milk, stir all well together and bake in a buttered dish until brown; serve hot. This dish resembles cauliflower and is directly to the consequence of the consequence of the consequence of the cold water and drain off dry. Mix this with a rich mayonnaise dressing, add a little more salt if necessary.

TWO EGG DISHES.

Eggs for Lunchcon.—Cover the bettom of a basin with cracker crumbs, then a layer of chopped belied eggs, with popper and salt. Pour over the whole a sauce of milk, butter, flour, and seasoning, and serve hot.

Deviled Eggs—Boil the eggs hard

milk, butter, hour, and sessonia, and serve hot.

Deviled Eggs—Boil the eggs hard. Remove yolks and mix with one tablespoon of clive oil to every five yolks. Add salt, pepper, vinegar, and mustard to taste. Mix well and fill the whites with the mixture.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

For a change, instead of using onion in your corned beef hash, add a couple of green peppers that have been boiled five minutes and chop-

ped fine.

Boiled salad dressing will not currile, but will be smooth and light if stirred frequently while cooking in a double boiler, with a revolving age heater.

Ten-Year-Old Astounds Grave and Thoughtful Professors.

Thoughtful Professors.

A boy prodigy with alleged marvellous powers of mathematical divination has been discovered in New England in the porson of William James Sidis, the ten-year-old son of the professor of physhology at Harvard University.

A year ago little Sidis, whose father had trained him according to a unique "system," was admitted as an undergraduate to the university. The other evening the bey—in everything but his knowledge of mathematics a veritable child—fased an audience of learned professors, and delivered a lecture ou fourth dimensional theories. So abstruce and crudite were the arguments of the boy mathematician, the newspapers declare, that many of his hearers, who included Professors W. P. Barbour, W. M. Pierce, and J. O. Coolidge, confessed themselves unable to follow him.

Rosy-checked and dressed in knee-breeches, with a red handker-efflor round his neck, young Sidis was surely one of the most extraordinary figures ever seen on a university platform. The handwriting with which he illustrated his ideas on the blackboard was a string of scrawled characters wholly unformed. He began his lecture with a boyish laugh which betrayed his own sense of the oddity of the situation. We take—with some misgiving—the following "characteristic phrases" of the ten-year-old lecturer from the newspapers: "Often there are gaps left in the fourth dimensional spaces. I fill these up by slipping in polyledrons of appropriate shape. I attach great value in working out my theories to the help given by the polyhedral angles of the dodecahedron which enter into so many problems. Some of the things I have found out about the fourth dimension will contribute to the solution of many of the problems of ellipsical geometry."

With a satisfied smile the child sat down, while, the reportors add, "grey-haired professors crowded"

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11. Ye . . . being evil—The word "evil" here means "selfish," "niggardly," rather than "sinful." The contrast is between the limited love of men and the absolute love of arguing from A favority

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UNCLE EZRA SAYS:

"Waitin' fur dead men's shees hes put many a man on his uppers."

The charity of some men consists of a willingness to pass the hat.

Most of a man's friends are of the distance variety.

Many a man would feel like a fish out of water if by chance he should manage to get out of debt.

Every time we see a sponge it reminds us of some men we know. People who take pains to tell the truth on all occasions have but few friends.

Advice is easy to give, but most men prefer to pay a lawyer for the kind they are to follow.

A bore is a person who has no-

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(b) Prevents or obstructs the sending, conveyance or delivery of any communication by any such telegraph, telephone or fire-alarm, or the transmission of electricity for any such electric light, or for any such purpose as aforesaid.

2—Any one who wilfully be

2—Any one who wilfully by any overt act, attempts to commit any such offence, is guilty of an offence and liable, on summary conviction, to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, or to three months' imprisonment, with or without hard labour.—R. S. C. c 168, ss. 40 and 41.

To constitute an offence the act must be done without

legal justification or excuse and without color or right.
—Sec. 48 (2).

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SCHEDULE A

The Late John T. Green

After a very brief illness, Mr. John T. Green passed away at the residence of his son, Dr. Chas. S. Green, 186 Madison Ave, New York, on Jan. 24, 1919, in the 51st year of his age.

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MEDICAL CARD

ll Wright of Kingston spent Sun Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Wright.

c. D. Dickson of Albert Collage at led the Epworth League meeting on ay evening and gave a very intergraper on the topic. "Our Lord's hing about His mission.

T. T. Cooknell has left for Calgary.

Journing for the past week. As E. Ross gave an excellent e last Sunday, bel Eggleton is very ill with the home of Mrs. J. Bronson. vis received the sad news of of her niece, formerly Miss pp of Syracuse, N. Y. a bahy girl has come to stay and Mrs. J. Cooke.

ADVERTISING NOTICES

Mail & Ex., 6.03 a. m. Passenger, 10.27 a. m. Mail & Ex., 8.41 p. m.

The Stirling News-Argus.

THURSDAY, FEB. 17, 1910

LOCAL MATTERS.

There will be a special service ever ednesday evening during Lent oKee's Hall at 7.89.

Mr. Morley has kindly consented ender a solo in St. John's Church anday evening evening next,

Rev. W. H. Emsley of Napanee is to reach Educational sermons in the lethodist church on Sunday next. A match between Stirling and Harold unior Hockey teams will be played ere on Saturday, beginning at 2,80 p.m.

F. A. Ray and Muriel K. MacFadden, cronto's talented plano-vocal artists, ill appear in Stirling on Monday, larch 28th. Particulars later.

At the last meeting of the Official Juarterly Board of Rawdan Circuit &v. W. H. Clarke was unanimously avited to return for the fourth year.

The social given in McKee's Hall on Feb. 7th by the W. A. of St. John's Church, Stirling, was a decided success, ooth socially and financially. Proceeds

The Epworth League of the Methodist hurch will hold their meeting on Tues-ay evening next instead of Monday vening. At this meeting the President, who was delegate to the Conference convention at Cobourg, will give his

A Great Treat

Ralph Connor's new story "The Foreigner," has been bought by the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal, and publication will begin in two or three weeks. Ralph Conner's former stories, "The Doutor, "The Prospector," "The Man from Glengarry," and willing and "The Foreigners" and willing and "The Foreigners" and willing and "The Foreigners" is reparted by many as his best. It is easied that the price was the biggest by far ever paid for a serial story. It will be a great treat to readers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star and those who become subscribers to that great weekly during the next two weeks will be in time for the opening chapter. The beautiful picture "The Soul's Awakening," is still offered as a premium. The combination is the biggest dollar's

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A despatch from Palma, Island of Majorca, says: Swept helpless, by from her course is one of the wildest storms that has swept the Mediterranean Sea in forty years, the French Transatlantic Steamship corashed at full speed, in the dead of might, on treacherous refs near definition of might will be a standard of might, on treacherous refs near the Island of Minorca, and all but a standard at full speed, in the dead of might, on treacherous refs near the Island of Minorca, and all but a transaction of the Minorca, and trom points in the Appoints of the Minorca, and trom points in the Appoints of the Minorca, and trom points in the Appoints of the Minorca, and trom points in the Appoints of the Minorca, and trom points in the Chancy as in the Chancy and trom points in the Chancy and the Minorca, and trom points in the Appoints of the Minorca, and the Minorca, and trom points in the Chancy and the Minorca, and the Minorca, and the Minorca, and the Chancy and the

Edward Reho Killed at Niagara Launch of Huge Craft for Use of British Army.

Edward Reho Killed at Niagara Falls A despatch from Niagara Falls any Falling into the forebay of No. 1 plant of the Niagara Falls Power Company, Edward Keho, aged 50, was instantly killed on Thursday morning. His body passed under the racks and fell 150 feet or to the turbine wheels of a ten thousand horsepower generator. When his body was found it was jammed in the wheel casing, and was terribly mutilated. Keho was keeping the penstock free from ice when he lost his balance and fell into the water, which quickly carried him down. Frank Buchanan as wife and six children.

LEG SEVERED RY SLEIGH.

Woodstock Lad Stealing a Ride Fell Under Runner.

A despatch from Woodstock, Ont., seys: A lad named Arthurs, six years of age, jumped off a sleigh cortaining a load of brick after school on Wednesday afterneon, and, getting under the runners, his leg was cut off just below the knee. His recovery is expected.

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LUG SEVERED RY SLEIGH.

Woodstock Lad Stealing a Ride Fell Lught with pointed ends and having fin-like projections on either side. Framework extends below the body for about three-fourthing fine projections of either side. Framewor

The Loss to Three Firms Will Total \$92,000.

A despatch from Ottawa says:
A fire which occurred in a Rideau Street building at noon on Sunday caused damage to the building and centents amounting to 892,000. The building was occupied by Hugh Carson Limited, saddlers; T. Shore, hardware dealer, and F. W. Lord, furniture dealer. The loss was distributed as follows:—High Carson, Limited, \$75,000, with \$35,000 insurance; T. Shore, \$6,000, with \$5,000 insurance, and F. W. Lord, damage caused by water, \$1.500. The building, which belonged to W. J. Charleson and J. B. Duford, was damaged to the extent, of \$10,000. It was fully insured. FRANCE SENDS HER THANKS. despatch from Ottawa says: the opening of the House on raday Mr. Fielding read a telem from Sir Francis Bortie, Brit. Ambassador at Paris, acknowing the receipt of Canada' of 500,000 to assist the sufferer a the floods in France. The isage said: "Money handed ove Franch Minister of Evening Mr.

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despatch from St. Thomas

A stray Scotch terrier, froth

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DROWNED

British Steamer Lima Wrecked on One of the Islands of the Huamblin Passage.

the chilean Government, immediately on receipt of the news that the Lima had been wrecked, despatched the protected cruiser Ministry of the Straits of Magellan, will probably be a total loss, chief pile and fifty passen were drowned.

Be British steamer Hatunet and 203 of the persons absolute that port and the port

BAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER REPORTS FROM THE LEADING THE GLOBE.

meeting of the United Irish League that he would put the Government out of office unless it had both the will and the power to deal with the Lord's veto.

The Grand Trunk Railway is seeking an entry to Providence, R. I.

The fireman of the United Irish League that he would put the Government out of office unless it had both the will and the power to deal with the William of the work of t

Pole.

Bennet C. Silver, who was accused of Black Hand practices at New York, pulled out his moustache, one hair at a time, in an attempt to make it impossible for a witness to identify him.

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS THE WORLD'S MARKETS THE

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18½ to 19½c. Lard—Tierces, 15½c; tubs, 15½c; pails, 16c.

BUSINESS IN MONTREAL.

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Montreal, Feb. 15.—Oats—No. 2
Canadian Western, 45½ to 46c; No. 2
white, 43½ to 44c; Ontario No. 3
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55½ to 00c; No. 3, 58½c; No. 4
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FUTURE OF CANADA

Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario Says It Lies in Her Farms.

A despatch from Toronto says:
That the future of the Dominion lier in the productive development of our farming land was the opinion expressed by Mr. C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, in his address on Wednesday night at the banquet of the Holstein Breeders' Association. He centended that a responsibility lay on all farmers to cultivate and assist one another in cultivating their arears to the highest degree of productiveness by scientific agricultural study and the diffusion of knowledge among their less fortunate neighbors.

Education, the speaker said, was the transplaces.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples=\$1.60 to \$3 per barrel, according to quality.

M. Cecil W. Norton, the British abbred Whip, says the Budget will have been passed in a fortnight's per bushel.

The Independent Labor party has lecided to make the question of access for women an issue in Britain.

The Daily Chronicle expresses the opinion that the next Governor-General of Canada will be a states man of personal prestige.

Keir Hardie declared at the meeting of the Independent Labor party that the Laborites in the Britaish Parliament would still remain independent.

Mr. Redmond announced at a Mr. Redmond announced at a

Three Railway men Hurr Near Bying Inlet.

A despatch from Sudbury says: Albert Hodgman, foreman, with two sectionmen, Tiklena and Criear, trackmen on the Toronto-Sudbury branch of the C. P. R. between French and Bying Inlet, while returning from Bying Inlet on Thursday afternoon ran into the Toronto Sudbury local train before they noticed it. Their jigger was smashed to pieces. Hodgman was seveverely bruised about the head, and Tiklena's jaw broken and his scalp injured. Criear was cut about the face and his back injured. Criear managed to jump before the collision came, but was hit with flying debris. All three were brought to Sudbury General Hospital on the train. All are expected to recover

RUSSIAN EGGS COMPETE.

Dozen Received in Montreal.

A despatch from Montreal says:
Montrealers will have an opportunity of judging what kind of hen fruit the poultry yards of Russia can produce, as a consignment of 6,000 dozen eggs has been received here from Riga, Russia. Strange as it may seem, these eggs can be brought approximately 5,000 miles at a price to compete with the local eggs. It is believed to be the first time a commercial transaction of this peture has taken place, but

FREEZES GERMS TO DEATH.

TRAIN STRUCK HANDCAR.

Three Railway Men Hurt Near

Bying Inlet.

Three Railway Men Hurt Near

Bying Inlet.

Live Wire Killed One Man and In

A STRICKEN FAMILY.

Six Members Down With Typhoid

FROM PATIENTS

Nine Receiving Treatment at the Pasteur Institute in New York.

A despatch from New York says: ment last year, six in 1908, and one makes the first six weeks of the in 1903.

white, 62 to 63c; No. 3 yellow 62/1 to 63c; No. 4, 67-1; to 53c; to 53c; No. 4, 67-1; to 53c;

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Rnown Clergyman.

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The healthy child is always a happy child. All its little roubles vanish when its food ligests properly and it is free rom childish ailments. Most of these ailments come from stomach or bowel troubles, roulds, feverishness, teching and worms. Baby's Own Tablets promptly cure all these troubles and keep little ones well. Mrs. W. G. Martin, Ravenschife, Que, says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets in my home for the past four years, and since using them my little ones have enjoyed the best of health. I can recommend them to every mother as a sure cure for the little troubles of childhood." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine (C. Brachelli E. Brachelli E.



PROFESSOR'S ENGLISH.

How often we misuse words to the extent of saying the contrary to what we mean is pointed out in the following anecdote.

A college professor who prided lumself on his correct English heard his wife remark:—

"I intend to call Jane to bring a fresh bucket of water."

"You doubtless mean a bucket of fresh water," corrected the Professor "I wish you would pay some attention to your rhetoric; your mistakes are curious."

A few moments later the Professor said:—

"My dear, that picture would show to better advantage if you ware to hang it over the clock. If I were to hang it above the clock we could not tell the time. I wish you would het more careful with your rhetoric, my dear; your mistakes are curious."

And the Professor all at once be-

THE KING'S CIGARS.

He Does Not Smoke so Many as He Did a Few Years Ago.

pathy—and that's about all.

A Remedy for Bilious Headache—
To those subject to bilious headache, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills
are recommended as the way to
speedy relief. Taken according to
directions they will subdue irregularities of the stomach and so act
upon the nerves and blood vessels
that the pains in the head will
cease. There are few who are not
at sometime subject to biliousness
a d familiar with its attendant
evils. Yet none need suffer with
these pills at hand.

In a case of slander not long ago Miss M—— had gone into the witness-box on behalf of the plaintiff, whose counsel was examining her. "Now, madam," Mr. Wigg, K.C., began, "please repeat the slanderous statements made by the defendant on this occasion just as you heard them." "Oh, they are unfit for any respectable person to hear," replied Miss M—. "Then," said the examiner, coaxingly, "supposs you just whisper them to the Judge."

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Controversy is a thing
Which has of lives a score,
or when you try to settle one
You start a whole lot more.

Brown—"Yes; they say that ev-rything Smith earns goes on his ife's back." Jones (glancing at Irs. Smith, whose dress is very coollete)—"Well, evidently he does ot earn much."

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A deaf but plous English lady, visiting a small country town in Scotland, went to church armed with an ear-trumpet. The elders had never seen one, and viewed it with suspicion and uneasiness. After a short consultation, one of them went to the lady, just before the opening of the service, and, wagging his finger at her warningly, whispered, "One toot and ye're oot!"

"I went to the wedding to see that imported Paris gown her folks told the reporters the bride was going to wear."

"Who gave her away?"

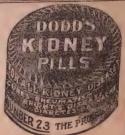
"Nobody had to. The cut and fit of the gown it elf gave her away."

Another thing the automobile lacks is horse sense.

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It will pay you to call before purchasing elsewhere.

GEO. E. REYNOLDS Shoe King

P.S .- All overdue Accounts must be settled by Feb. 1st.

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Mad Dogs in Ontario

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Mad dogs are roaming around Westn Ontario. There are at least two
undred of them, according to informano received by Dr. J. G. Rutherford,
e veterinary inepector-general. New
uses of rabies are being reported dailyrastic action has been taken. An orir has been issued directing that all
egs in the portion of the province lying
est of the eastern boundaries of York
d Simcoe counties must be shut up in
thouses, kept under lock and key, or
mustantly muzzled with effective metalin muzzles.

Miss Maggie Hawkins.
Robed in spotless whiteness, rest
wheat the sunking's mellow gleam,
Where the willows kiss the stream,
Sleeping lillies on thy breast.
They have filled their mission bright,
Softly fallen from the stem;
Sleeping in ow with them,
Lingers still thy lovely light.

Or thy silent, virgin breast
Let me fold thy weary hands,
Into eventually in the services of gold
Brock Fill brush these waves of gold
From thy brow so free from care,
What an atmosphere of prayer,
"Round these lips of matchless mould."

A Disgraceful Outrage

The story of a dastardly act at Myersarg, Northomberland, county, is reported. During a heavy storm, which literated their footprints, some permise entered the stable where Mr. John bey, who lives near Myersburg, had one valuable stock, part of which he ad just sold. The hair was cut off a just sold. The hair was cut off to story the man of two others, leaving them in a wretched looking condition. The long flowing mane of a colt read as also cut off. With horse clippers he hair was olipped from the backs and ides of several cattle, while other cattle vere disfigured. Upon rising the following morning Mr. They found the stock in a deplorable condition. The long flowing morning Mr. They found the stock in a deplorable condition. Some chop and peas were missing. Most of the animals mutilated had been sold, and as the purchasers refuse to take them the loss to Mr. Ibey is a serious one.

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Railroads to Build Heavily

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A woman living in Paterson, N. J., harbored a live mole in her body for several months.

Messrs. Carman have sold their interest in The Ontario newspaper at Belleville.

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On the whole, it would be rather wise if one should undertake to do certain work, to receive so much per day in payment, to understand just where the work is to be done, else one might have to labor eighteen and a half hours at Stockholm, if it happened to be the longest day of the year, or all the time from May 21 to July 22 if at Wardbury, in Norway, In St. Petersburg the longest day is nineteen hours and the shortest five hours. At Torena, Finland, there is a twenty-two hour day. At London and Bremen the longest day is skitzen and a half hours, while at Hamburg and Dantzig there are seventeen hours in the longest day. In Washington the longest day is nbout fifteen hours.—Exchange.

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Mossrs. Roy Walker and Victor Taylor made a friendly call at Mt. Pleasant on Sunday.

Mr. Ernest Wootton of Maynooth is lysiciting at his father's home.

A large number of the members of the W. I., with several visitors, spent a lew hours advantageously on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chas. Dracup, discussing topics of an instructive nature, interspersed with a good program. Our ladies intend to next meet at the home of Miss E. Rainnie.

The Royal Scarlet Chapter was open here on Monday night, and degrees were conferred on several members. Just what happened to the candidates we are not prepared to tell; this we do know, that an adjournment was made to Mr. Wm. Snarr's dining room, where a banquet was given by the society to its members, the principle item on the menu card being oysters. A lengthy list of toasts was proposed and cleverly responded to, followed by a flow of conversation, when lo, it was time to go.

Mt. Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jeffs spent Tues-lay and Wednesday of last week in

ay and weenessay weed.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Potts have returned om Northport.
Will makes a splendid bachelor.
Mrs. Robt. Totton spent a few days ith her daughter Nellie, at Mr. Jas.

the guests of Mrs. A. Dancynesday night.
Mr. Ernest McDonald and Miss Nellie
Totton spent Friday evening with Dr.
and Mrs. Totton, Springbrook.
Mr. Jay Weaver of Stirling visited
his sister, Mrs. Claude Sharp, on Sun-

ay.
Miss Blanche Williams has returned ome from Napanee.

Mrs. Nancy McConnell fell on the ice and injured herself severely. Mr. E. D. McConnell, Public School principal at Bancroft, visited his mother on Sunday.

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Mr. H. Nelson, G. T. B. agent at
Keene and Mr. Guy Winters of Camp-bellford visited last week at Mrs. A.
McMullen's.

Miss M. Henderson, teacher at Well-man's, was the guest of Miss Hazel Mc-

Miss at Hendeson and Miss Hazel Mc-Mulien on Sunday.
Mrs. Pearson of Trenton is visiting her son. Mr. W. Pearson.
Mr. Ross Hoard has purchased a fine horse for farming purposes.
Mr. Leo Pearce attended the Trenton and Lindsay hockey match in Trenton. Measles are in our miss.

Mr. Ridley Palmer a well known isident of the village of Corbyville as fined the sum of \$150 and costs, mounting in all to \$172 for selling quor in a local option township.

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Where an Acre Nourishes Forty People Professor F. H. King, of Madison

Professor F. H. King, of Madison, Wis., in writing on soil cultivation in the far East in FARM AND FIRESIDE makes these interesting comments:

It could not fail to be a matter of the highest industrial, educational and social importance to all nations, were it possible to bring to them a full and accurate account of all those conditions and practices which have made it possible to such dense populations to be maintained so largely upon the products of Chinese. Korean, and Japanese soils. Many of the steps, phases and practices through which this evolution has passed are irrevocably buried in the past, but such remarkable maintenance efficiency attained centuries ago and projected into the past with little apparent decadence, merits the most profound study and the time is fully ripe when it should be made.

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be made.

With our population increasing at the rate of nearly a million a year during the last half century it is clear that we can hardly learn too soon or too thoroughly our probable limit of soil and crop production, and the best methods of insuring and maintaining it. Probably nothing can give a safer measure of the maintenance capacity of the farm and farmers of a nation than the number of people they feed per unit area of cultivated field, and it is doubtful if there is a better place to study this problem than in China and Japan at the present time.

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According to official statistics published in 1908 Japan has in its main islands, exclusive of Formosa and Karafuto, a population of 48,542,786 and the area of its cultivated fields is 21,821 square miles. This is 2.277 people to the square mile, and besides these there are also maintained 2,600,000 cattle and horses, nearly all of which are laboring animals, giving a population of one hundred and forty-two people and seven horses and cattle to each forty acres of cultivated field; a condition sufficiently different from our most fully occupied forty-acre farm to make the busiest man among us stop and do some thinking.

The old farmer who permitted me to

in her daughter Neille, at Mr. Jas., repe'sjr.
r. W. H. Scott is able to be out in.
r. Edison McConnell of Bancroft the Sunday with his mother.
rs. Wm. Hubbel is visiting herher, Mr. Frank Hubbel.
r. and Mrs. S. Patterson visited, J. C. Linn last Wediesday,
iss Alma Reid entertained a few of friends on Wednesday evening.

ifity-six donkeys and five hundred and twelve swine per square mile.

Japan is making rapid strides along many industrial lines and great attention has for many years been paid to her agriculture, in which rapid progress is being made. As early as 1872 she had established an agricultural college. For several years the soil survey of the main islands has been completed with large scale maps and is made the basis of values for national, prefectural and local land taxes. She has an admirable system of road maintenance in effective operation. She has many agricultural experiment stations, nine of which we visited, and the equipment at Tokio for soil investigation is superior to anything yet provided in this country. We have more pretentious buildings, but their resources are more largely used in providing appliances and men for rigid, accurate research work. I visited one of their dormitories at the agricultural college connected with the Fukuoka Experimental Station, and here young men are provided with room and board at four dollars (gold) per month. From their one hundred and thirty-nine A and B classes of agricultural schools of second rank they had graduated in 1907, 1,041 students; from their one hundred and thirty-nine A and B classes of agricultural schools of second rank they had graduated in 1907 and the second rank they had graduated of second rank they had graduated of second rank they had graduated in 1905 and second rank they had graduated in 1905 and second rank they had graduated in 50 and 1905 a

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to the knowledge of my father, because my cousin told, me your father, because my cousin told, me you have constructed the major of the iron with you founded your belief."

'You love him,' said Alice, with an effort. "You love him,' said Alice, with an effort. "You love him,' said Alice, with an effort. "Hought—they showed me that be length of the iron rail, and there he he station another?"

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Alice ran to the point of exit indicated, and glided noiselessly into a vast apartment, a toilette boudoir filled with Iuxurious furniture, objects of art and curiosities in glass cases. She had no sooner disampeared than Maxime entered radiant. His joy was somewhat abated at being received, not as before, on a divan of state, but a real inval'd's couch.

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how is he? Do you believe he will recover his reason?"

"I hope so. He has transient glimpses already, but is not yet master of himself. He allows words to except him which he would not do ordinarily."

"What has he said?"

"I took him to the office where the theff was committed, and he mentioned that he knew the words that opened the safe, the defensive mechanism that protects it,—details of which no one is in possession but the cashier, and which Georget could have learned only by acting the spy on his chief. I here your purchen for telling you frankly my opinion that your protege was the accomplies of the rocures, that be furnished them information, and perhaps assisted them more effectively. He recognized a hiding-place in which he roust have been lurking for the purpose of opening the door to them."

"It is quite possible," said the countess, indifferently,

"What! you are not distressed to learn that Goorget has been implicated in this affair?"

"Bah! a political matter."

"Political! how?"

"Undoubtedly. What did they take? A coffer containing unquestionably state papers, since it belonged to a Russian diplomatic agent. The proof that they wanted only the papers, is that they did not touch the money in the safe. Georget is the grandson of a woman of high birth who has had relations with Polish emigrants. He has, perhaps, followed the counsels of his grandmother in giving aid to these people."

"He has none the less been playing high, and if my uncle knew what this astonishing youngster has been doing, he wouldn't spare him—especially since money was taken as well as the casket."

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"Designated him by name?"

"Chave been told so, but can scarcely believe it. But I can answer that it was not Georget."

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(b) Prevents or obstructs the sending, conveyance or delivery of any communication by any such telegraph, telephone or fire-alarm, or the transmission of electricity for any such electric light, or for any such purpose as aforesaid.

2—Any one who wilfully by any overt act, attempts to commit any such offence, is guilty of an offence and liable, on summary conviction, to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, or to three months' imprisonment, with or without hard labour.—R. S. C. c 168, ss. 40 and 41.

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W. Preceptor
E. D. Morrow, Registrar

MEDICAL CARD

ISAAC WOOD, M.A., M.D., C.M., memor of the Royal College of Surgeons ngland, of the Medical Faculty of Queen' niversity, and of the staff of the King on General Hospital.

Miss Marjorie Meiklejohn is visiting ends in Toronto.

Miss C. Stevens of Campbellford is th

Miss Scott of Napance spent a few days ith her sister, Miss C. Scott.

Leslie Kennedy of Picton, and Miss Kennedy, who is teaching near c, spent Sunday at home.

R. Howson, Grand Superintendent ince Edward District Royal Arch ns, is attending the annual convocation of the Grand Chapter of Canada in to this week.

County of Hastings Examinations, 1910

tor Centre

Mr. John C. Eaton, manager of the 2. Eaton Co., has offered to build the ungigal wing of the new hospital at loronto as a memorial of his father, the ate Timothy Eaton, at a cost of a parter of a million dollars.

A vast emigration of Jews from Rus-

ADVERTISING NOTICES

RAILWAY TIME TABLE: callat Stirling station as fol GOING EAST,
Mail & Ex., 6.03 a. m.
Passenger, ...6, 45 p. m.
Mail & Ex. 8, 41 p. m

The Stirling News-Argus.

THURSDAY, FEB. 24, 1910.

LOCAL MATTERS.

An Old Boy's Reunion will be held Belleville in July next.

Mr. Rodburn of Belleville on his way to this village on Monday evening last met with some young men of the village, when an altercation ensued which redited in five charges being laid against hm. Two of these charges were tried in Tuesday morning and lines and asts amounting to about \$25 were imposed. The other three charges will be ited later.

A quiet wedding ceremony was performed on Thursday evening, Feb. 10th
at Young Methodist church. Winnipeg,
when the Rev. G. K. B. Adams united
in marriage Mary Alice Bowen to Walter Percival Rodgers. The bride was
gowned in beautiful heavy white lace,
and wore the groom's gift, a lovely twin
diamond ring. Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers
will reside at 204 Kenmore Block, Broadway.

his father, inc is a cisms, however, were not without point a real many were thrusts of good advice and many were thrusts of good advice and sound sense. Mr. Geggie said he adojoed preaching more than lecturing, and if they wanted to hear him at his used by Premier accused of increased of i

Concert by "Infant Prodigies"

Wellman's Women's Institute

Wellman's Women's Institute
The free show that appeared in the
Opera House here on Tuesday evening
how a very good crowd, and the sales
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how and well a sales
hour.

Stirling senior hockey team played in
Marmora on Monday evening and were
lefeated by a score of 8-2. At the rener game here last night the home
eam won by 8-6. The score at half
lime was 3-3.

On Friday evening last the Cadel
Corps of Stirling High and Public
School, with the Boy Scouts and Counit, presented Mr. R. H. Péarse with a
keep of great interest in these organizations and had been their instructor for
some time.

Wellman's Women's Institute
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Presentation and Address

Spring Brook

On My Mother's Picture

Leith.

Like dreamy chime of distant Sabbath bell, I wake the echoes of a long farewell. It was the echoes of a long farewell. It breath, A tear that shakes the mother's breath, A tear that falls from love that knows no death, Great God! Tis like a rolling funeral knell.

Oh precious picture! let my burning brow Be prest against the cooling, senseless glass, O heaven, what priceless memory. calls to me on a marmarings in you cottage manufactured to be made of distant Sabbath to dreamy chime of distant Sabbath

gluss,
O heaven, what priceless memories backward flow.
Speak! Mother speak, my lips your brow they press,
Heaven's near, I know her presence with

me now, Once more I feel the balm of mother's kiss. G. E. Ross.

The Rev. Robert Emberson, for ten years a Methodist missionary in Japan died in Toronto on Thursday last.

Card of Thanks

MARGARET A. MERRICK. Stirling, Feb. 14, 1910.

Croup positively stopped in 20 minutes with Dr. Shoop's Croup Remedy. One test alone will surely prove this truth. No vomiting, no distress. A safe and pleasing syrup—50c. Sold by J. S. Morton.

Auction Sales

Deaths CHAMBERS—In Sidney on Feb. 22, Ellen V Chambers, widow of the late Rober; Cham bors, aged Si years.

For Sale Span of Colts coming four years old.

Apply to AMOS BARNUM,

Sarginson P. O.

A vualtity of First Class Hay, about two miles east of Stirling.

24-2 W. S. BARKER.

A.O.U.W. Notice

In the matter of JAMES BUCHANAN of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, General Merchant, Insolvent.

regard to those claims only of wh shall then have had notice. HENRY BARBER, Trust Dated at Toronto, February 18, 1910

For Sale

A Twentieth Century Manure Spreader or will exchange for a horse. F. W. SCOTT, 23-2 Lot 18, Con. 9, Sidney

Farm to Let

Administratrix **Notice to Creditors**

Re Gilbert Orser Estate

w Masonic Hall

Is now available for social and other engagements. For particulars of rental, etc., see Dr. Walt.

ANDERSON'S STORE NEWS

The Arrival of New Spring Goods

PRINTS AND GINGHAMS EMBROIDERIES AND LACES

UP-TO-DATE NEW SPRING HATS For Men, Youths and Boys

NEW W. G. & R. SHIRTS COME IN AND SEE THEM!

G. W. ANDERSON

J. W. BROWN'S FEBRUARY CLEARING SALE

Our greatly reduced prices are clearing out our Winter Footwear. Still there are bargains, and we will continue to

GIVE BIG CASH DISCOUNTS

on all Winter goods during the remainder of this month,

Men's Felt Boots	.\$1.75	for	\$1.25
" " Helt soles	. 2.75	- 11	2.00
" Oil I an Moccasins	. 3.00	. 11	2.00
11 Deerskin 11	. I.50	11	1.00
" Long Felt Boots	. 3.50	11	2.75
Ladies Felt Boots	· 1.50	11	1.00
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If you want value for your money come to the PARLOR SHOE STORE. ¶ Boots made to order and repaired.

J. W. BROWN

JUST RECEIVED

A LARGE SHIPMENT OF

CLOVER and TIMOTHY SEED

Get our prices before you buy

Phone 25. McGEE & LAGROW

One of the most successful years in its history has just been closed by

The Mutual Life Assurance Co. Of Canada

Substantial progress having been made in every branch of its business. The Company begs to extend hearty thanks to the Canadian public for its liberal patronage, and to its Policy Holders, old and new, best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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Insure you Live Stock, Stallions, and in foal Mares.

Why risk the lives of your high-bred stock, or the life of a valuable mare and foal. when a policy in the

foal, when a policy in the
General Animals Insurance Co.
of Canada
Will protect them. For full information
as to rates, write or apply to
MORDEN BRD,
Agent, Stirling
Representing first-class Fire, Accident
and Health Insurance Companies.

BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS
PRESENT
A FINE GOSPEL TEXT CALENDAR FOR 1910

PRICE 28C. SENT TO ANY ADDRESS.

Borela Prices in lots of one dozen or mercgorela Prices in lots of one dozen or mercperiod of the prices of the above prices postage paid.

TWO DEAD, MANY INJURED

Serious Fire in the Gurney-Tilden Stove Works at Hamilton.

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Disorders Accompanies Strike of Charge Against Robert Hen-derson Will be Murder. Street Car Men.

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Martha Macpherson, who,
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e of Norwood, on January
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st her alleged assailant, Roblenderson, who is in jail here
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somen was made, it is alleged,
lenderson, who asked at the and, it is claimed, used the axe on the two wamen. Miss Martha Macherton since the alleged assault had been in a critical condition, and physicians were constantly in attendance. Robert Henderson, who is alleged to have been responsible for the woman's death, was committed for trial on the charge of waunding with intent to kill. Henderson was a resident of Toronto fer a short time. riot. Two women were shot be stray bullets, and many people were removed to hospitals.

Department of Agriculture Reports
Good Year.

A despatch from Charlettown,
Prince Edward Island, says: The
public accounts presented in the
legislature on Friday show the annual ordinary expenditure to be
\$355,000; capital. \$25,000; ordinary
revenue, \$275,000; total liabilities,
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A despatch from Ottawa says:
Several immates of an Italian bakery on Somerset street had a narrow escape when the premises were
destroyed by fire on Sunday evening. The family of D. Sciarroni,
consisting of six children, were in
bed when the fire started. They
were rescued through a smashed
window and handed down to helpdespatch from London says: ording to the official return, Ca-takes second place among the ing countries of the world in sercentage of increase in trade ing the last decade.

MILLION DOLLARS A

Increase in the Customs Revenue During Last Fiscal Year.

Telegraphic Briefs From Our Own and Other Countries of Recent Events.

GREAT BRITAIN.

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The London Daily Chronicle calls the Germano-Canadian agreement a sensible arrangement.
Deputy Sheriffs fired on a mob of would-be lynchers at Cairo, Ill., on Friday, killing one and wounding three.

The Chairman of the British Labor party has intimated that the transport unless the veto question is pressed to an issue without delay.

UNITED STATES.

Five men were killed in an explosion in a gunpowder plant in California.

A ten-year-old boy was attacked by two great eagles while on his way home from school at Laporte, Pa.

Soldiers with fixed bayonets at-facked rioters in the Prussian town of Neumuenster. The new Spanish Premier has de-clined to resign in spite of the pro-tests of certain members of his party.

ELEPHANTS RUN AMUCK.

Tossed Barrels About in a Winery, Were Finally Cornered

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A despatch from San Francisco says: Three elephants owned by a showman broke away from a street parade on Thursday afternoon, and for 30 blocks ran amuck. With crowds scattering in pursuit, the clephants took to the sidewalks, and many persons had narrow escapes from being trampled on. Swerving into a butcher shop, the big beasts paused long enough to half wreck the place, then headed for a winery, where they tossed barriels and kegs about. They were finally cornered in a viaduct lot.

MEDAL FOR REYNOLDS?

Name of Conductor in Webbwood Wreck Sent to London.

A despatch from Ottawa says of the Senate on Wednesday Si Richard Cartwright said that the

WON'T DAM NIAGARA.

Decision of Waterways Commission is Against the Proposal.

despatch from Buffalo sa Express says: The proposa Niagara River to raise

BAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER REPORTS FROM THE LEADING THE GLOBE.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—\$1.50 to \$2 per barrel, according to quality.

Beans—Car lots outside, \$1.85 to \$1.95, and small lots at \$2.10 to \$2.20 per bushel.

Honey—Combs, dozen, \$2 to \$2.60; extracted, 10½ to 11c per lb.

Baled hay—No. 1 timothy \$13.50 to \$14, and No. 2 at \$12 to \$12.50 n track, Toronto.

Baled Straw—\$7.50 on track, Toronto.

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Potatoes—47 to 50c per bag on track, Toronto.
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Poultry—Turkeys, dressed, 17 to 18c per lb; ducks, 13 to 15c; geese, 12 to 13c; chickens, 13 to 14c, and fowl, 10 to 11c.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

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Butter—Pound prints, 22 to 23c; tubs and large rolls, 20 to 21c; inferior, 18 to 20c; creamery, 27 to 28c, and solids, 24 to 25c per lb. Eggs—Case lots of new laid, 30 to 31c per dozen, and storage, 25c per dozen.

Cheese—12%c per lb. for large, and at 13c for twins.

HOG PRODUCTS.

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Bacon, long clear, 14½ to 14½c per lb. in case lots; mess pork, \$27; short cut, \$29.50 to \$29.

Hams—Light to medium, 15 to 15½c; do., heavy, 14 to 14½c; rolls, 14 to 14½c; shoulders, 13 to 13½c; beakfast bacon, 17 to 17½c; backs, 15½ to 19½c.

Lard—Tierces, 15½c; tubs, 15½c; pails, 16c.

BUSINESS IN MONTREAL

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Montreal, Feb. 22.—Oats—No. 2
Canadian Western, 45½ to 46c; No.
3, 44½ to 43c; Ontario No. 2 white,
43½ to 40c; Ontario No. 3 white,
41½ to 43c; Ontario No. 4 white,
41½ to 42c. Barley—No. 2, 59½ to
60c; No. 3, 58½c; No. 4, 56½c; feed
barley, 54½c. Flour—Mamitoba
Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.80;
do.. seconds, \$5.80; Manitoba
Spring wheat patents, seconds, \$5.
30, Winter wheat patents, \$5.50 to
\$3.60; Manitoba strong bakers,
\$5.10; straight rollers, in bags,
\$2.40 to \$2.50. Feed—Ontario bran,
\$22.50; straight rollers, in bags,
\$23.50 to \$24.00; Manitoba bran,
\$22.00; Manitoba shorts,
\$23.00; pure grain mouillic, \$21 to \$3;
mixed mouillic, \$27 to \$29. Cheese
—September and October make,

UNITED STATES MARKETS

Milwaukee, Feb. 22.—Wheat—No Northern, \$1.18 to \$1.19; No. forthern, \$1.17 to \$1.17/4; May 1.14%, Ryo—No. 1, 81c. Corn-day, 68/4c. Barley—Standard

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS THE WORLD'S MARKETS INCREASED COST OF LIVING

Results of Special Investigations Carried Out by the Government.

A despatch from Ottawa says:
With the current issue of The Labor Gazette the department begins the publication of the results of the special investigation, which has been in progress for some moths, into the increase during the past few years in the cost of living. In subsequent issues there will be given statistical reviews of the trend of wholesale and retail prices during the past twenty years in Canada, with comparisons as to the trend of prices in other countries. The investigation will cover some 225 commodities in general use. This month a statistical statement is given as to the wholesale prices of animals and meats from 1890 to 1908. Averaging the prices for all

49½ to 50c; No. 3 white, 48 to 48½c; No. 4 white, 47 to 48c; standard, 49 to 49½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Montreal, Feb. 22.—Prime beeves to over 6½ per pound; pretty ood animals, 4½ to 5½c, and the ormon stock 3½ to 4½c per lb. Hich cows from \$30 to \$60 each; pringers, \$30 to \$50 each. Calves, ½ to 8c per lb. Sheep, about 5c, and lambs about 7c per lb. Good ts of fat hogs sold at 9½ to 9½c er lb.

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to \$4.65. Sheep and lambs were firm at recent advances. Hogs— Selects, \$8.25, f.o.b., and \$8.50 fed and watered.

DRY-DOCK FOR MONTREAL.

Vickers-Maxim Company Will Invest Some Millions.

vest Some Millions.

A despatch from Montreal says:
A floating dry-dock for Montreal,
capable of accommodating vessels
of 20,000 tons, is the latest port
equipment. It is understood that
a considerable part of the capital for the dry-dock will be provided by the Vickers, Maxim and
Vickers Company, one of the largest shipbuilding concerns in Great
Britain, who will invest probably
\$5.000,000 in the proposition, and
will operate the dry-dock and the
accompanying shipyard. The British firm do not confine their activities to shipbuilding, and it is experted that they will operate the
Montreal plant during the Winter
months when navigation is at a
standstill, for the output of railway
supplies of various kinds.

CAR PLINGED DOWN BANK

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Narrow Escape of Two Passengers at London.

A despatch from London, Ont., says: Springbank car No. 108 with two passengers, Frank Elson and William Hart, of Byron, Ont., was badly wrecked at 7.20 o'clock on Thursday morning, when it left the rails at a point about half a mile west of the Wharneliffe road, and shot headforemost down an embankment into the river. No one was injured. The accident was caused by about half an inch of ice on the rails.

WIMEN FOR THE FARM.

Miss Binnie Clark Would Establish School to Train Them.

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INSPECTION OF CANNED FISH Next Endeavor of Government to Six People Were Enried Under the Ensure Pure Foods.

A despatch from Ottawa says: That an adequate system of govern-nent inspection of canned fish of

EGYPT'S PREMIER SHOT.

Seriously Wounded by a Student at

THE RABIES EPIDEMIC.

Local Districts Call on Provincial Board of Health for Assistance.

A despatch from Toronto says
The epidemic of rabies is assumin
serious proportions, according treports to the Provincial Heat
Department on Thursday, whice

WOMEN FOR THE FARM.

. VILLAGE DESTROYED.

ALCOHOL'S

Father and His Two Sons--Tragedy Near Castor, Alberta.

A GOOD PUDDING TURNETH AWAY WRATH. "Land! how disagreeable everything is!" cried Ma, "here's Jule agitin" mad at her own brother, and here's you, Opal, havin' no duds to wear to the picnic, But I don't believe I'd ast your Pa for a new dress, 'cause' that'd make everything more disagreeable than over." A GOOD PUDDING TURNETH AWAY WRATH. ON THE PR WONDERFUL CUR DODD'S KIDNEY Pi ever," Valk Southers T. P. Many Women Suffer

They Can Be Relieved by Keeping the Blood Supply Rich and Pure With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

and Pure With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

A woman merch a blood-duilding to lose all courage. It rived severe sidence regularly hat because and decrease, but they failed to give me a woman. From maturity to addel life the health and happy and every woman depends upon the lose all courage. It rived severe is also like the support table that we had been a base of the support table that we had been a base of the support table that we had been a base of the support table that we support the table to support the table table to support the table to support the table table to support the table table to support the table to support the table table to support the table to support the table table table to support the table table to support the table table table table table table to support the t

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Mother Graves' Worm Extermin-tor has no equal for destroying orms in children and adults. See asing.

CONDITIONAL.

Mrs. Clancy—Sure, Mrs. Doher, there's some folks would rather ast their naybors than atc. The Hostess—Thrue fer ye! on-se they c'u'd ate at the expinse their naybors.

"'Do you 'quarre! with eighbor still about his hen over in your garden?" n-"'No; we'vo got over bw." 'Buried the hatch-'No; better still. Buried the



Sure Helpers.

Air.—Fresh air and sunshine are necessary to good health.

Cold or damp fresh air does no harm if the skin is kept warm.

Night air is as good as day air.

Breathe only through your nose.

Avoid hot, erowded, dusty, dark or damp rooms.

Food.—Live on plain food and eat regularly.

Eat slowly, chew thoroughly and avoid fried food.

Drink water freely (not iced).

Exercise and Rest.—Regular exercise is essential to good health. Go to bed early and sleep with the windows open.

Never sleep in a damp bed.

Clothing. — Wear only loose clethes.

Never sit with wet feet or damp of thing.

Cleanliness. — Consumption and

PHILOSOPHY.

"After all," said the optimist, "the best of luck is only what you make it yourself."
"It's all well enough for you to telk," growled the pessimist, "but I never get anything but bad luck."
"Well, then, it's up to you to make the best of it."

SAVED IN HIS OLD AGE.

Revive the Jaded Condition. —
When energy flags and the cares
of business become irksome; when
the whole system is out of sorts and
there is general depression, try
Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They
will regulate the action of a deranged stomach and a disordered
liver, and make you feel like a new
man. No one need suffer a day
from debilitated digestion when so
simple and effective a pill can be
got at any drug store.

Do it rain, Mrs. Mc-



FEW BRITISH WAR-HORSES.

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Some men think they are ambitious, when in reality they are only discontented.

Me Substitute for "The D & J." Menthol Plastor, although some unscrupulous dealers new say there is, Recommended by dectors, hespitals, clergy and everybody for pleuring, stiffness, etc.

HORSE OWNERS! USE

WITH DUE ALLOWANCES

ON THE PRAIRIES

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It was at a little north-western town in New South Wales. A traverand to the public house watch was a spendor of purple and sold, in a splendor of purple and sold. "The public house watch mess, Cured His Kidney Disease and Made Him a Well Man.

Skipton, Duck Lake, Sask., Feb. 21 (Special).—After thirteen years suffering from Kidney Disease brought on by an accident, Mark Southern, of Heslaker Farm near kere, is a well man, and he is not slow to state that he owes his cure to Dodd's Kidney. Pills.

"It was at a little north-western town in New South Wales. A traveral and he to well man to he will be public house watch message did not he well man to be purple and sold. "The yellow goods, isn't it! be justified and looked critically at the glowing west. "Not bad," he glowing west. "Not bad," he place like Boggabri."

Hope for the Chronic Dyspeptie.—Through lack of consideration of the body's needs many persons allow disorders of the digestive aparatus to endure until they become chronic, filling days and nights with suffering. To these a course of Parmales's Vegetable Pills is recommended as a sure and speedy way to regain health. These pills are specially compounded to commended as a sure and appead way to regain health. These pills are specially compounded to commended as a sure and speedy way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and appead way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and speedy way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and appead way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and speedy way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and appead way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and appead way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and appead way to regain health. These pills is recommended as a sure and appead way to regain health. These pills are specially compounded to commended to commended to the pills is recommended as a sure and appead way to r

Thos. Sabin of Eglington, says "I have removed ten corns from my feet with Holloway's Corn Cure." Reader, go thou and de likewise.

Children Will de Sleighing. They come home covered with snow. Haif a teaspoonjul of Painstiller in hot awestened water will prevent any fill effects. Avela substitutes, thore is but one "Painkiller"—Perry Davis—350, and 50c.

"What do you mean by the rising generation, pa?" "Oh, the peo-ple who can afford to have airships, sonny!"

WHAT HE GOT.

"Well, what happened to you?"
sked the friend of the man who
as swathed in handages.

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The Telephone Girl

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This is the latest about the telephone girl from an unknown writer: The Telephone girl sits still in her chair, and listens to voices from evrywhere. She hears all the gossip she hears all the news she knows who is happy and who has the blues. She knows of our troubles she knows of our strife she knows overy man who is mappy and who has the blues the mean to his wife. She knows every time we are out with the boys she hears the excuses each fellow employs. In fact there's a secret 'neath each saucy curl of the quiet demure looking telephone girl. If the telephone girl told all that she knows it would turn all our friends into bitterest foes. She would get all our churches mixed up in a fight and turn our days into sorrowing nights; in fact she could keep the whole town in a stew if she'd tell atenth part of the things that she knew.

Canadian Resources.

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The Hon. Clifford Sifton speaking of our nawaral resources before the Canadian Club at Halifax, urged the importance of guarding our forests and resources. "As things are going at present the United States," he said, would cut her last stick of timber in thirty years, and if then she turned to us we could only supply her and ourselves for seven years but if we preserve our forests on a scientific basis, as is done in Germany, we would have an ample supply for generations."

Manitoba, the best natural wheat listrict in the world, raises only 16 bashels to the acre because the land is not scientifically cultivated. Germany vaises, 27 1-2 and England 32. This, he Hon. Clifford Sifton, thinks shows he need of considerable horticulture ducation in Canada.

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w of our church members attend-natterly service at Bethesda ap-ment last Sunday. a are very sorry that Mr. Burton er is again on the sick list. s. Sarles remains in the same con-national managements.

sh of Prince Edward has st of Mrs Jas. Stout.

Mr. Jas. M. Scott leaves on Wednessy with a car for his home at Unity, ask. Mr. Harvey. Chisholm also starts the same time, going farther to his we home in Alberta.

Mr. T. J. Kelly, Sr., is ill. Mrs. Hary-peumatism, and Mrs. Fred Rushnell is used to the same than the same to the same than the same to the same than the same to the same to the same than the same th

Laugh and the world laugh's with ou-if you laugh at your own jokes.

The High Cost of Living

Men who took part in the recent lab-our riots were sentenced at Sydney. The ringleaders were given two years, and about forty others were fined.

A bill has been introduced in the Manitoba Legislature to sanction mar-riages performed by students and oth-er missionaries in the remote districts of the Province.

No city is greater than its character ideals.

ANCIENT MONTREAL FORT.

rgotten Military Structure Is Laid

The timbers are in nearly periodic modition, being preserved in the noist soil. The marks of the axe are till plain on those which have been newn. Many opinions prevail as to the age of the fort, but it is certain that the building is one of the first but up on the island.

In the soil directly above the fort stood, until recently, a giant elm tree over a century old. Some of the roots of this tree had spread around the building was well over the century mark. The workmen who made the ilscovery were not aware of the probable historical value of the building. They tore down the side walls so that now only the flooring remains in its original position. The other timbers have been saved, however, and after further investigation regarding the foot, it is probable that it will be reconstructed. A number of authorities on the history of old Montreal have been consulted, and the concensus of opinion is that this was the most western point of the settlement. It is expected that further research will bring forth some relies which may determine more accurately the age of number of sea shells have been found in the soil, and some distance away a huge boulder of "blue stone," weighing about twelve tons, was found embedded in the clay. The discovery was made by workmen, excavating for the new Ogilvy building.

House of Keys.

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CANADI N THEASURES.

Pearls In Oysters.
While eating oysters at dence of Stephen Wilcox, street, Toronto, Miss M. found five pearls. All were oyster. They were about the buckshot. A jeweler will buckshot. A jeweler will be own minion on them.

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A Free Trader.

The new member for North Essex, Oliver J. Wilcox, in his maiden speech in the House the other day, gave some interesting reminiscences of other days in that constituency.

Among them was the story of Mr. McGregor, the Liberal candidate in 1896, who made his campaign on an absolute free trade policy. He called upon the people to rise in their might and drive thence the customs officers stationed along the Detroit River.

The day after the Liberal victory of 1896 many of the electors who had listened to Mr. McGregor's free trade speeches and had probably voted for him, journeyed to Detroit and returned heavily laden with purchases. They flatly refused to pay a cent of duty. Their free trade cause had won, was their answer.

To orewn all this, the same Mr. McGregor was later himself appointed a customs official.

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